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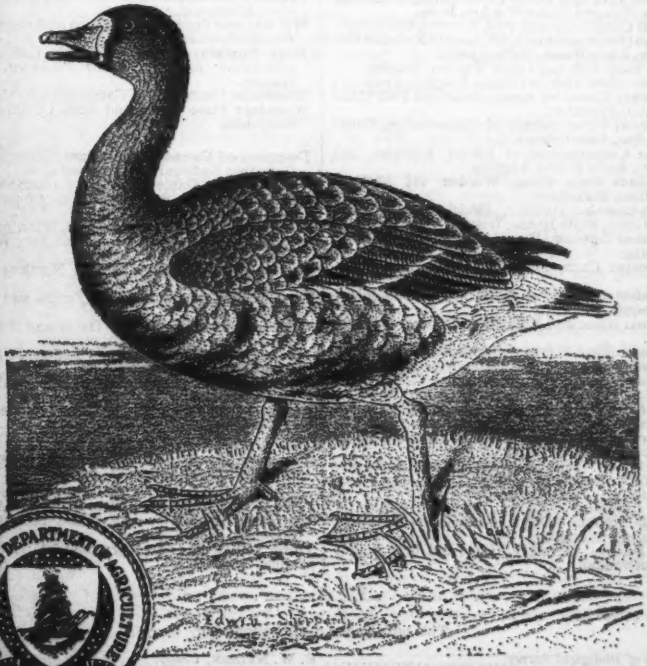

THE twenty-fifth annual summary by the Department of Agriculture of Federal and other game laws and regulations is here presented for the use of law-enforcement officials, sportsmen, conservationists, and others, as an aid in the administration of the migratory-bird treaty and Lacey Acts. The provisions as set forth furnish a brief and convenient synopsis of the laws. Provisions relating to methods of capture, game refuges, enforcement of laws, disposition of fees and fines, and minor matters are omitted, as also are tests of Federal and Canadian laws and regulations relating to birds and game.

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GAME LAWS FOR THE SEASON 1924-25

A SUMMARY OF FEDERAL, STATE, AND PROVINCIAL STATUTES

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REVIEW OF LEGISLATION OF 1924

Since the bulletin on the game laws for the season 1923–24 was issued, legislative sessions have been held in Alabama, Georgia,[1] Iowa, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Massachusetts, Mississippi, New Jersey, New York, Rhode Island, South Carolina, and Virginia, and few changes in the game laws were made.

FEDERAL LEGISLATION

Several bills extremely important to wild-life conservation, including the migratory bird refuge bill (S. 2913—H. R. 745), the Alaska game bill (S. 2559—H. R. 5949), the Upper Mississippi River wild life and fish refuge bill (S. 1558—H. R. 4088), and the resolution transferring jurisdiction over game in Alaska to the Department of Agriculture (S. J. Res. 127), were introduced in the first session of the Sixty-eighth Congress. The migratory bird refuge bill was favorably reported by the committees of both Senate and House and is on the calendar. The Alaska game bill passed the Senate and is still pending in the House.

The Upper Mississippi River wild life and fish refuge bill was passed and became a law on June 7, 1924. This act authorizes the acquisition and setting aside, as a wild life refuge, of about 300,000 acres of swamp and low lands along the Mississippi River between Rock Island, Ill., and Wabasha, Minn. After these areas have been acquired by the Government, the Secretary of Agriculture will have jurisdiction with respect to game birds, game animals, and fur-bearing animals, and the Secretary of Commerce will have jurisdiction over the fish and other aquatic animal life, and suitable regulations by the two departments are authorized to govern hunting and fishing on the areas to be acquired. The act carries no appropriation for the purchase of lands, but authorizes an appropriation of $1,500,000 to be made for the purpose.

Jurisdiction over game in Alaska, heretofore exercised by the Governor of the Territory, under the Department of the Interior, was transferred to the Department of Agriculture, by joint resolution approved by the President on June 7, 1924, thus giving this department complete control of the administration, through the Biological Survey, of the laws relating to game and land fur-bearing animals in Alaska. The consolidation of these services will coordinate the work and bring about greater efficiency, and should mean a more economical expenditure of Government funds, thereby promoting the conservation and perpetuation of game and fur resources in the Territory.

[1] The legislature of Georgia did not convene until late in June, and at the time of going to press no information was available concerning action taken on game matters.

The Federal law (sec. 84, Criminal Code) prohibiting the killing or disturbing of wild birds on national bird reservations was amended by act of April 15, 1924, to afford protection to all wild animals and property of the United States on Federal bird and game reservations.

Other acts passed authorize the President to withdraw from entry approximately 25,000 acres of public land in South Dakota, which the State may fence and use as an antelope and game refuge, and to set aside 16,000 acres of public lands as an addition to the Custer State Park game sanctuary in South Dakota, making a total of 46,000 acres—30,000 acres having been withdrawn under the act of June 5, 1920.

Of the utmost interest to outdoor enthusiasts and others who for years have urged the enactment of appropriate legislation to check the ever-increasing menace to wild life by oil and other forms of pollution which have contaminated our coastal and inland waters, destroyed aquatic life therein, and seriously endangered the public health, is the oil-pollution bill, which became a law on June 7, 1924. This act prohibits any vessel using oil as fuel for the generation of propulsion power or any vessel carrying or having oil thereon in excess of that necessary for its lubricating requirements, from discharging oil, oil sludge, or oil refuse into the coastal navigable waters, including all inland navigable waters in which the tide ebbs and flows. The Secretary of War is empowered to make regulations permitting the discharge of oil from vessels under conditions which will not be deleterious to health or sea food or a menace to navigation. Officials of the Customs and Coast Guard Services are required to cooperate with the Secretary of War in the enforcement of the act. The Secretary of War also is directed to ascertain the sources and substances of pollution in navigable waters, including nonnavigable waters connected therewith, which endanger navigation, commerce, or fisheries, and to report to Congress within two years the results of his investigations, together with recommendations for remedial legislation.

Congress also passed, and the President approved, the Clarke-McNary Reforestation Act providing for the protection of forest lands, reforestation of denuded areas, the extension of national forests, and the protection of watersheds of navigable streams. In addition to its main purposes, the passage of this legislation should result in much benefit to the game on the affected areas.

A close season for two years on all game animals in the Lower Taku River district, Alaska, was prescribed by regulations of the Department of Agriculture. This was designed primarily to protect the moose in that section, and also reduced from two to one the season limit on moose south of latitude 62°. and shortened the season 12 days.

MIGRATORY BIRDS

The migratory bird treaty act regulations were amended, effective April 11, 1924, by fixing October 16 to January 31 in Mississippi and November 1 to January 31 in Louisiana as the open seasons on doves. The former season on doves in these States extended from September 16 to December 31. The regulations were also amended, effective July 2, 1924, by making the open season on migratory waterfowl (except wood ducks, eider ducks, and swans), coot, gallinules, and Wilson snipe or jacksnipe September 24 to January 7 (instead of September 16 to December 31) in New York, except on Long Island. This amendment harmonizes the Federal season on waterfowl with the season fixed by State law at the 1924 session of the legislature, but creates a conflict between Federal and State seasons on coot, gallinules, and Wilson snipe, as a result of which birds of these species may be taken only from September 24 to December 31 without violating either Federal or State laws.

Substantial progress was made in further harmonizing State laws on migratory birds with the Federal regulations. In Virginia and Alabama the State laws were made to conform in their entirety, in Maryland the season on waterfowl, and in Iowa the seasons on all migratory game birds were made to conform with the Federal regulations. Iowa reduced from 25 to 15 the daily limit on each species, and Virginia also prescribed season limits on all species of migratory game birds.

Maryland prohibited the discharge of firearms on the roosting or feeding grounds of rail and bobolinks, or reedbirds, during August, thus preventing the disturbance of these birds prior to the opening of the season by gunners who are in the marshes under the guise of hunting blackbirds, which are unprotected. The boundary line of the Susquehanna Flats was extended to a point near Charleston on Northeast River, in Cecil County, thus considerably increasing the area formerly designated as the Flats. Maryland also reenacted the law repealed

in 1922 prohibiting the presence of craft or the setting of decoys on the Susquehanna Flats prior to 4.30 a. m. on regular gunning days.

New Jersey modified its law prohibiting the baiting of waterfowl with grain, other than wild celery or wild rice, so as to permit baiting more than 400 feet from gunning points.

SMALL UPLAND GAME

In Alabama the open season on quail was shortened four weeks; on ruffed grouse and introduced game birds it was closed until 1927; and on squirrels it was shortened approximately seven weeks by opening on November 1 instead of September 15.

Virginia established a uniform season from November 15 to January 31 on quail, ruffed grouse, wild turkeys, rabbits, and squirrels and abolished the special seasons heretofore existing on upland game birds east and west of the Blue Ridge Mountains. The season is thus shortened two weeks east, but lengthened two weeks west of the ridge. The daily limit on grouse was reduced from 6 to 4, and season limits of 20 grouse, 6 wild turkeys, and 150 quail were prescribed.

New Jersey fixed a daily limit of 6 on squirrels, and reduced it from 10 to 6 on rabbits.

Alberta lengthened the season two weeks on grouse, prairie chickens, and ptarmigan by allowing shooting during the full month of October, and fixed the open season on Hungarian partridge as the period from September 15 to November 15, instead of the month of November. Bag limits on Hungarian partridge were increased from 10 to 15 a day and from 50 to 75 a season. Ontario lengthened the season on ruffed grouse three weeks in the region south of the French and Mattawa Rivers, thus making it uniform throughout the Province.

BIG GAME

Manitoba prohibited the taking of male antelope at any time, thus protecting the species throughout the Province. This, together with recent action in Mexico closing the season on antelope until 1932, removes this species from the game list throughout its range.

A buck law permitting the killing of deer with horns visible above the hair, with a limit of one a day and two a season, was enacted in Virginia.

In South Carolina the season on deer was lengthened 15 days, but the limit was reduced from five to three, and the season on bear was shortened two and one-half months.

By order of the State game commission, deer hunting was suspended in West Virginia this season.

In Nova Scotia, Inverness and Victoria Counties were closed until 1930 to the shooting of bull caribou, thus closing the entire Province. The sale of moose meat was also prohibited.

Further protection was afforded musk-oxen in the Northwest Territories by regulation prohibiting their killing except under a permit; this deprives Indians and Eskimos of their former privilege of killing these animals at any time for food purposes.

GAME AND BIRD REFUGES

The President reestablished the Blackbeard Island Reservation, Georgia, by Executive order dated February 25, 1924; this was originally created July 17, 1914, and vacated May 25, 1915.

Manitoba created the West Shoal Lake Refuge with an area of 37 sections, and the Shoal Lake Refuge of 6 sections.

In the Northwest Territories there have been reserved for hunting and trapping exclusively by native Indians, Eskimos, and halfbreeds 6 areas including Victoria Island, 74,400 square miles; Banks Island, 26,400 square miles; Peel River Preserve, 3,300 square miles; Yellowknife Preserve, 70,000 square miles; Slave River Preserve, 2,200 square miles; and Backs River Preserve, 65,500 square miles.

In Saskatchewan the Dunburn Game Preserve with an area of 63 square miles was created.

MISCELLANEOUS

Alabama reorganized the department of conservation as the department of game and fisheries and increased the salary of the commissioner from $3,000 to $4,000 per annum. The fee for a nonresident license was increased from $15 to $25.

Iowa increased the term of the State game warden from three to four years, and now requires the appointment to be approved by the Senate.

Virginia requires a resident of a State having a larger nonresident hunting license fee than that charged in Virginia to pay the fee charged in own State. Violation of hunting, trapping, or fishing laws in Virginia works a forfeiture of license privileges for a period of 12 months following conviction.

In the Northwest Territories a $5 license is required of nonresidents to hunt birds.

Mexico has recently taken several important steps toward the conservation of game. These include the prohibition of killing of antelope and mountain sheep, and the shipment of quail except under special permit. Brief reference is made to the provisions of the Mexican laws and regulations, and also to the requirement of hunting licenses, in a summary following the statement of Canadian laws.

SUMMARY OF LAWS RELATING TO SEASONS, LICENSES, LIMITS, POSSESSION, INTERSTATE TRANSPORTATION, AND SALE

The dates of open seasons for migratory game birds shown under the various States and Provinces are the times when these birds may be hunted without violating either State laws or Federal regulations.[2] Federal regulations prohibit their shooting from sunset to half an hour before sunrise, and prohibit the killing of the following birds at any time:

Band-tailed pigeon; little brown, sandhill, and whooping cranes; wood duck, eider ducks, swans; curlews, willet, upland plover, and all shorebirds (except the black-bellied and golden plovers, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, woodcock, and the greater and lesser yellowlegs); cuckoos; flickers and other woodpeckers; nighthawks, or bull-bats, and whip-poor-wills; swifts; humming birds; flycatchers; bobolinks,[3] meadowlarks, and orioles; grosbeaks; tanagers; martins and other swallows; waxwings; shrikes; vireos; warblers; pipits; catbirds and brown thrashers; wrens; brown creepers; nuthatches; chickadees and titmice; kinglets and gnatcatchers; robins and other thrushes; and all other perching birds which feed entirely or chiefly on insects; and also auks, auklets, bitterns, fulmars, gannets, grebes, guillemots, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, murres, petrels, puffins, shearwaters, and terns.

In some States certain days of the week constitute rest days or close seasons during the time when killing is permitted. Hunting on Sunday is prohibited in all States and Provinces east of the one hundred and fifth meridian, except Illinois, Louisiana, Michigan, Texas, Wisconsin, and Quebec. Mondays constitute a close season for waterfowl locally in Maryland and North Carolina; and certain other week days for waterfowl in several favorite ducking grounds in Maryland, Virginia, and North Carolina. Hunting is prohibited on election day in Maryland in Allegany, Baltimore, Cecil, Charles, Frederick, and Harford Counties; and when snow is on the ground in New Jersey, Delaware, Virginia, and Maryland.

The county laws of North Carolina are too numerous to be incorporated in the following summary, which otherwise may be regarded as a practically complete résumé of game regulations now in force.

The migratory-bird treaty-act regulations permit the possession of migratory game birds during the open season and the first 10 days following the close of the season. This provision has been considered in connection with State laws, and when migratory game birds may be legally possessed under Federal regulations and State laws during any part of the close season, it has been stated under the heading "Bag limits and possession." Possession of nonmigratory game during the close season is generally prohibited by State laws, but when an extension of a few days, or a special season, is provided for either possession or sale, attention is called thereto.

Under the heading "Interstate transportation," in addition to statements of restrictions on removal of game from the State in which it is taken, has been included information concerning the importation and possession by sportsmen for personal use of game legally killed outside the State and legally exported from the place where taken. In the absence of specific State legislation to the con-

[2] The full text of the migratory-bird treaty act and regulations and of Canadian and other regulations affecting birds and game will be found in a separate publication of the department (Service and Regulatory Announcement, B. S. No. 62).

[3] See order of the Secretary permitting bobolinks, or reedbirds, to be killed in a few States for the protection of rice crops in the South, page 35.

trary, or where legislation prohibits possession of game in close season, it has been construed that sportsmen may bring home their game and possess it in their State in the same manner as though it had been killed there. The Federal regulations permit not to exceed 2 days' limit of migratory game birds to be transported in one calendar week from one State to another and allow such birds to be possessed in the State into which they are transported during the period constituting the open season where killed and for an additional period of 10 days next succeeding such open season, when such transportation and possession are not prohibited by State laws. Migratory game birds coming from a country other than Canada may be possessed in the State into which they are brought only during the open season in that State and such additional time immediately following such open season as may be permitted by both Federal and State laws.

The Federal migratory-bird treaty act prohibits the sale of all migratory game birds throughout the United States (except birds taken for scientific or propagating purposes, and waterfowl raised on farms or preserves, under proper permit from the Secretary of Agriculture—see regulations 8 and 9).[4]

In stating the open season [5] the plan has been followed, as in the past, of including the *first and last days thereof*. The difficulty of attaining absolute accuracy in a statement of the seasons is very great, but summaries have been submitted to the proper State or Provincial game commissioners for correction and approval, and the following are believed to be free from material errors. Species (including migratory game and nongame birds protected throughout each year by Federal regulation) on which the season is closed for a term of years or for an indefinite period are grouped under the term "No open season." Provisions of State laws prohibiting hunting at night, between sunset and sunrise, or during certain hours, are not included.

Sportsmen should obtain information from the Biological Survey or State game departments [6] to inform themselves of the existence of game and bird refuges in areas in which they contemplate hunting, as the location of refuges and the restrictions regarding hunting thereon are not included in this bulletin.

Persons are advised to obtain from State game commissioners [6] the full text of game laws in States where hunting is contemplated.

For laws concerning traffic in imported game and game raised in captivity under Federal and State licenses, see pages 36–38.

State Laws

ALABAMA

Open seasons:[7]	*Dates inclusive*
Deer (male)	Nov. 1–Dec. 31.
Squirrel (black, gray, fox)	Nov. 1–Jan. 31.[8]
Bear	Nov. 1–Feb. 28.
Quail (partridge)	Nov. 20–Feb. 19.
Wild turkey gobbler	Dec. 1–Mar. 31.
Turtle dove	Oct. 16–Jan. 31.
Duck, goose, brant, black-bellied and golden plovers, Wilson snipe, yellowlegs, coot (mudhen), gallinule	Nov. 1–Jan. 31.
Woodcock	Nov. 1–Dec. 31.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 1–Nov. 30.

No open season: Elk (1925); ruffed grouse (pheasant), introduced pheasant, or other introduced game bird (1927); does, turkey hens, swans, wood duck, bitterns, sandhill and whooping cranes, grebes, gulls, herons, loons, shearwaters, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting licenses: Nonresident or alien, $25. Resident: State, $3; county, $1. Trapping (bears and other fur-bearing animals), $15 for first trap and $2.50 for each additional trap. Issued by probate judges. Landlords, tenants, and members of

ALABAMA—Continued

families may hunt or trap on own land during open season without license. Written permission required for hunting or trapping on land of another.

Bag limits and possession: One buck a day or in possession, 5 a season; 1 turkey gobbler a day or in possession, 10 a season; 10 squirrels a day or in possession; 15 quail a day or in possession; 8 each of geese and brant a day, 25 of each in possession; 25 each of doves, ducks, Wilson snipe, and sora a day or in possession; 25 in all of rails (except sora), coots, and gallinules a day, 25 of each in possession; 6 woodcock a day, 25 in possession; 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs a day, 25 of each in possession. Possession of migratory game birds permitted during first 10 days of close season; other game during first 5 days.

Interstate transportation: Export of all protected game prohibited, except that a nonresident licensee may take with him, openly, game he has lawfully killed, but not more than 2 days' limit of migratory birds may be exported in any one calendar week.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

Sale: Sale of all protected game prohibited.

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[4] See footnote 2, page 4.

[5] For open seasons on fur-bearing animals for the season, 1924–25, see Farmers' Bulletin 1443.

[6] See list on page II (back of title page). A full list of names and addresses of officials and organizations concerned with the protection of birds and game will be found in Dept. Circ. No. 328, U. S. Dept. Agr., 1924.

[7] *Alabama:* Hunting prohibited on all State lands.

[8] Squirrels may be killed at any time on own premises when destroying property.

ALASKA

Open seasons: [9]	*Dates inclusive*
Bull moose, caribou, sheep (rams only, south of Arctic Circle) (see exceptions)	Aug. 20–Dec. 31.
Exceptions:	
Moose, south of latitude 62° and west of longitude 146°	Sept. 1–Dec. 31.
Sheep on Kenai Peninsula, east of longitude 150°, July 1, 1926.	
Deer with horns 3 inches long (southeastern Alaska) (see exception)	Sept. 16–Dec. 15.
Exception:	
Deer in southeastern Alaska, west of longitude 141°, 1926.	
Mountain goat (except Kenai Peninsula, east of longitude 150° and on Baranof and Chichagof Islands, July 1, 1926)	Aug. 20–Oct. 31.
Brown bear (north of latitude 62°, no close season)	Oct. 1–July 1.
Grouse, ptarmigan	Sept. 1–Mar. 1.
Duck, goose, brant, Wilson snipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs, coot, gallinule	Sept. 1–Dec. 15.

No open season: Females and young of deer and mountain sheep, mountain goat kids, and fawns of caribou, south of Arctic Circle; swans, wood duck, eider ducks, auklets, cranes, fulmars, grebes, guillemots, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, murres, petrels, puffins, shearwaters, terns, and all shorebirds (except Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Unimak Island: Sportsmen should take notice that Unimak Island is a part of the Aleutian Islands Reservation and that hunting there is illegal.

Hunting licenses: Nonresident, $50;[10] nonresident alien, $100.[10] Guide, first class, $25 (American citizen); second class, $7.50 (native of Alaska—fee fixed by Secretary of Agriculture).

Shipping licenses: Resident, $40 (export of heads or trophies); $10 (single trophy of caribou or sheep); $5 (single trophy of deer, goat, or brown bear). Special license for shipping one moose killed south of latitude 62°, $150.

(Not more than one general ($40) license and two special ($150) moose licenses issued to one person in one year. Each shipper must file with the customs office at port of shipment an affidavit that he has not violated the game law; that the trophy to be shipped has not been purchased, has not been sold, and is not shipped for purpose of sale; that he is the owner of the trophy, and, in case of moose, whether the animal from which it was taken was killed north or south of latitude 62°.)

Hunting and shipping licenses issued by chief Alaska game warden, Juneau.

Territorial licenses required of residents to possess or transport trophies: Moose, $10; caribou, sheep, and goat, $5 each; deer, $2.50; brown and grizzly bears, $1 each. Issued by Territorial treasurer and officers designated by him.

Bag limits and possession: It is unlawful for any person in any one year to kill more than 2 moose (1 moose south of latitude 62°), 3 deer, 3 caribou, 3 sheep, 3 goats, or 3 brown bears; or to kill or have in possession in one day more than 25 grouse or ptarmigan; or to kill more than 25 ducks, 8 geese, or 8 brant or have more than 25 in all combined in possession in one day; or to kill more than 15 in the aggregate of black-bellied and golden plovers and yellowlegs, or more than 25 Wilson snipe or have more than 25 shorebirds in the aggregate of all kinds in possession in one day; or to kill more than 25 in the aggregate of coots and gallinules in any one day. Ducks, geese, brant, coot, gallinules, and shorebirds may be possessed only during the open season and the first 10 days of the close season. Other game may be possessed for noncommercial purposes at any time.

ALASKA—Continued

Interstate transportation: Export prohibited of deer, moose, caribou, sheep, goat, bear, or hides of these animals; wild birds, except eagles, or any parts thereof; provided, specimens may be exported under restrictions imposed by the Secretary of Agriculture, and trophies of big game under licenses issued by the Chief Alaska Game Warden, Juneau. (See Licenses.)

Game taken outside of Territory and legally exported may be possessed at any time, except that migratory game birds may be possessed only during open season where taken and first 10 days of close season.

Sale: Sale of migratory birds and the hides, heads, and skins of all protected game prohibited at all times; sale of deer meat prohibited; unlawful also to serve deer meat in any boarding house, cafe, cannery, eating house, hotel, mess house, or restaurant in Alaska or on board any steamer or other vessel in the waters of Alaska; sale prohibited of the meat, carcasses, or parts thereof, of moose, caribou, sheep, or goat south of the Chugach or Coast Range Mountains, including Alaska Peninsula, Kenai Peninsula, and east to longitude 141°, in any boarding house, cafe, cannery, eating house, hotel, mess house, restaurant, or dining car. No meat, carcass, or parts thereof, of moose, caribou, sheep, or goat shall be shipped, or accepted for shipment, from any point on Kenai or Alaska Peninsula unless accompanied by affidavit of owner that it was not purchased and is not intended for sale.

Permitted: Carcasses of all game (except migratory birds, and except deer, moose, caribou, and sheep as above stated) may be sold during the open season and, by dealers, during first 15 days thereafter.

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[9] *Alaska:* All hunting prohibited on Kruzof and Partofshikof Islands and in drainage of Taku River east of line from Taku Point to east end of the face of Taku Glacier until July 1, 1926. Game animals or birds may be killed at any time in Alaska for food or clothing by native Indians or Eskimos, or by miners or explorers in need of food, but game so killed may not be shipped or sold.

[10] Not required for hunting deer or goats.

ARIZONA

Open seasons: [11]	*Dates inclusive*
Deer (male), wild turkey	Oct. 1–Nov. 1.
Quail (except bobwhite)	Oct. 15–Dec. 31.
Mourning dove	Sept. 1–Dec. 15.
White-winged dove	July 15–Dec. 31.
Duck, goose, brant, Wilson snipe, coot, gallinule	Oct. 16–Jan. 31.
Black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Oct. 15–Dec. 15.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Oct. 15–Nov. 30.

No open season: Does, spotted fawns, elk, antelope, sheep, goat, peccary or javelina (wild hog), bobwhite, grouse, pheasant, swans, bitterns, little brown and sandhill cranes, grebes, gulls, herons, loons, band-tailed pigeons, terns, and all shorebirds (except Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident or alien: Game and fish, $20; birds (except turkeys) and fish, $10. Not issued to applicant under 12 years of age. Resident: Game and fish, $1.25. Issued by game warden, designated deputies, and clerk board of supervisors.

American-born resident under 17 years of age may hunt without license, if accompanied by holder of a general license.

Bag limits and possession: One deer, 2 turkeys a season; 20 ducks, 8 geese, 20 coots, 15 plovers and yellowlegs, and 20 rails, but not more than 20 in all of waterfowl, plovers, yellowlegs, rails, and coots a day or in possession; 25 quail, and 25 doves and white wings a day or in possession; 25 Wilson snipe a day. Possession of plovers, yellowlegs, rails, and mourning doves permitted during first 10 days of close season; other game during first five days thereof.

ARIZONA—Continued

Interstate transportation: Export of all protected game prohibited.

Possession of game prohibited without a hunting license. Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

Sale: Sale of all protected game prohibited.

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[11] *Arizona:* Animals or birds (except migratory birds) which become seriously injurious to agriculture or other interests may be killed under regulations of the State game warden.

ARKANSAS

Open seasons:	*Dates inclusive*
Male deer, turkey gobblers (gobblers also March 1–May 1) (see exceptions)	Nov. 10–Jan. 15.
Exceptions: In Poinsett County	Nov. 10–Dec. 1.
In Faulkner, Perry, and White Counties	Nov. 10, 1928.
In Chicot, Desha, and Phillips Counties (15 days), Nov. 15–19, Dec. 26–30, and Jan. 10–14, inclusive; gobblers, additional season, March 1–May 1.	
Bear in Chicot, Desha, and Phillips Counties (15 days), Nov. 15–19, Dec. 26–30, and Jan. 10–14, inclusive.	
Squirrel (see exceptions)	May 15–Jan. 15.
Exceptions: In Chicot, Desha, and Phillips Counties	May 15–Dec. 31.
In Faulkner and White Counties	July 1–Jan. 1.
In Lonoke County	June 15–Dec. 15.
Grouse (except prairie chicken and pheasant)	Dec. 15–Jan. 15.
Quail or partridge (see exceptions)	Dec. 20–Feb. 28.
Exceptions: In Baxter, Boone, Faulkner, and White Counties	Dec. 20–Feb. 1.
In Chicot, Columbia, Desha, and Phillips Counties	Dec. 1–Mar. 1.
In Charleston District, Franklin County	No open season.
Duck, goose, Wilson snipe, coot, gallinule	Nov. 1–Jan. 31.
Woodcock (except in Faulkner and White Counties, no open season)	Nov. 1–Dec. 31.
Black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs, dove	Sept. 1–Dec. 15.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 1–Nov. 30.

No open season: Does, fawns, and wild turkey hens; bear (except as above), prairie chicken, pheasant (1928); swans, wood duck, bitterns, sandhill and whooping cranes, grebes, gulls, herons, loons, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident: Game, $15; fish, general, $5; special 15-day (trip), $1.10; resident for deer, bear, and turkey, $1.10; fish, $1.10. For dog in hunting, $1.50. Issued by State game and fish commission and circuit clerks. Citizen may hunt or fish during open season on own premises without a license. Hunting prohibited on inclosed lands without consent of owner. Scott County: Nonresident, game $25; fish, $25; issued by circuit clerk.

County licenses: Chicot County: Nonresident of State $50; resident of State: All game, $5.25; game (except deer, bear, and turkey), $2.25. Dog (for deer or quail hunting), $1.10. *Desha County:* Nonresident of State, $50; resident of State: All game, $2.50; game (except deer, bear, and turkey), $1.10. Dog (for deer or quail hunting), $1. *Phillips County:* Nonresident of State, $50; resident of State: All game, $2.50; game (except deer, bear, and turkey), $1.10. Dog (for deer or quail hunting), $1. *Scott County:* Nonresident, game, $25; fish, $25. Issued by circuit clerk. License not required of resident under 16 in Chicot, Desha, and Phillips Counties.

Bag limits and possession: Two deer, 1 bear, 4 turkeys a season; 15 squirrels, 20 quail (40 in possession); 5 grouse; 25 doves; 25 ducks (50 in possession); 8 geese, 8 brant, 25 Wilson snipe, 6 woodcock, 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs, 25 in all of rails, coots, and gallinules a day or in possession. Possession of game permitted during first 10 days of close season.

Local bag limits: In Arkansas County, 15 ducks a day or in possession; in Jackson County, 10 squirrels a day or in possession; in Chicot, Desha, and Phillips Counties, 10 squirrels a day.

Interstate transportation: Export of all game prohibited; provided, a nonresident, under his license and affidavit that game was legally taken by himself and is not for sale, may take with him one day's bag limit.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

Sale: Sale prohibited of all protected game; provided, squirrels may be sold except in Chicot, Desha, Jackson, and Phillips Counties.

CALIFORNIA [12]

Open seasons:	*Dates inclusive*
Male deer (except spike bucks), in districts 1, 1½, 4½, 23, 24, 25, and 26	Sept. 1–Oct. 15.
In districts 2, 2½, and 3	Aug. 1–Sept. 14.
In district 4	Sept. 16–Oct. 15.
Bear (black, brown)	Oct. 15–Mar. 1.
Cottontail and brush rabbits,[13] mountain, valley, and desert quail (see exceptions)	Nov. 1–Jan. 15.
Exceptions: Mountain and valley quail, district 1½	Oct. 15–Dec. 15.
Grouse	Sept. 15–Oct. 14.
Sage hen (except in district 4½, no open season)	Aug. 1–Sept. 15
Dove	Sept. 1–Oct. 31.
Duck, goose, brant, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, coot (mudhen), gallinule	Oct. 1–Jan. 15.

No open season: Doe, spike buck, fawn, elk, antelope, sheep; tree squirrel (1925); pheasant, introduced quail or partridge, turkey, rail, plovers, yellowlegs, swans, wood duck, eider ducks, auklets, bitterns, little brown and sandhill cranes, fulmars, grebes, guillemots, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, murres, petrels, band-tailed pigeons, puffins, shearwaters, terns, and all shorebirds (except Wilson snipe or jacksnipe).

Hunting and fishing licenses: Game: Nonresident, $10; alien, $25 (except those with first papers, fee $10); fish; nonresident or alien, $3. Resident: Game, $1; fish, $1. Fishing license not required of person under 18 years of age. Veterans of Civil War, issued free of charge. Issued by commissioners and county clerks. Unlawful to hunt in inclosure of another without permission of owner.

Bag limits and possession: Two deer a season; 15 cottontail or brush rabbits a day, 30 a week; 4 grouse a day, 8 a week; 4 sage hens a day, 8 a week; 10 mountain quail a day, 20 a week; 15 valley or desert quail a day, 30 a week; 25 Wilson snipe or jacksnipe a day, 50 a week; 15 mourning doves a day, 30 a week; 25 ducks a day, 50 a week; 8 geese (honkers) a day, 24 a week; 8 brant a day, 24 a week; 25 coots (mudhens) and gallinules a day, 50 coots a week.

Possession in excess of daily limit prohibited. Persons killing deer must retain in possession dur- open season and 10 days thereafter the skin and the portion of head bearing horns. One day's limit of game birds or animals may be possessed during first five days of close season.

CALIFORNIA—Continued

Interstate transportation: Export of all protected game prohibited. All shipment by parcel post prohibited.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

Sale: Sale of deer meat and hides, tree squirrels, and all game birds prohibited. Hides of deer taken in a foreign country and cottontail and brush rabbits taken during open season may be sold.

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[12] *California:* Of the 59 fish and game districts created under the act of 1917, as amended in 1919 and 1921, 7 (1, 1½, 2, 2½, 3, 4, and 4½) are properly hunting districts; 23, 24, 25, and 26 are fishing districts but are open to hunting; of the other 48 districts 26 are game refuges and 22 are fishing districts.

District 1 comprises the northern part of the State, the Sierras, and the east half of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Valleys, including all counties not included in districts 1½, 2, 2½, 3, 4, and 4½.

District 1½ comprises the counties of Del Norte, Siskiyou, and Humboldt.

District 2 comprises that part of the State south of Humboldt and Tehama Counties, west of the Sacramento River and north of San Francisco Bay, including the counties of Glenn, Colusa, Yolo, Solano, Napa, Lake, Sonoma, and Marin, and that portion of Mendocino County not included in district 2½.

District 2½ comprises that portion of Mendocino County lying west of divide between Eel and Russian River systems and Pacific Ocean and not included in District 7.

District 3 comprises the region around the southern portion of San Francisco Bay and the coast counties south of the Golden Gate as far as Ventura, including the counties of Contra Costa, Alameda, Santa Clara, San Francisco, Santa Cruz, Monterey, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, and Ventura; also San Benito and the western half of San Joaquin, Stanislaus, Merced, Fresno, and Kern Counties.

District 4 comprises the counties in southern California, namely, Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Diego, Imperial, and San Bernardino.

District 4½ comprises the counties of Mono and Inyo.

Districts 23, 24, 25, and 26, all located in district No. 1, are as follows:

District 23 comprises the drainage area of Lake Tahoe and the Truckee River in the counties of Placer and Eldorado.

District 24 comprises the drainage area of Silver, Twin, Blue, Meadow, and Wood Lakes in the counties of Alpine and Amador.

District 25 comprises the drainage area of Lake Almanor in the counties of Plumas and Lassen.

District 26 comprises Sixty Lake Basin, part of Rae Lake, and to the south fork of Woods Creek in Fresno County.

[13] Owner or tenant, or person holding written permission from owner or tenant, may kill rabbits on own premises at any time, but rabbits killed in close season may not be shipped or sold.

COLORADO

Open seasons:	*Dates inclusive*
Deer (having horns with two or more prongs on each horn)	Oct. 12–Oct. 15.
Rabbit, hare	Unprotected.
Prairie chicken, mountain and willow grouse	Sept. 15–Oct. 1.
Duck, goose, brant, coot, gallinule, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Sept. 16–Dec. 31.
Sora and other rail (except coot and gallinule)	Sept. 1–Nov. 30.

No open season: Elk, antelope, sheep, does, fawns, abert, black or tufted-eared squirrel, quail (bobwhite and crested), pheasant, dove (1930); sage chicken (1926); doe, partridge, ptarmigan, wild turkey, swans, wood duck, eider ducks, bitterns, little brown, sandhill, and whooping cranes, grebes, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, band-tailed pigeon, terns, and all shorebirds (except Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident: Big game, $25; small game, $5; fish, $3. Resident: Big game, $5; small game and fish, $2. No person under 18 permitted to hunt big game. Fishing license not required of boys under 16 or of women. Children under 12 not permitted to hunt except on own premises or those of parent or guardian. Guide, $5. Issued by commissioner, county clerks, and other agents. Unlawful to hunt in any inclosure not public land without consent of owner. Unlawful to shoot game from public highway.

Unnaturalized foreign-born residents not permitted to hunt or to own or possess shotgun, rifle, or pistol.

Bag limits and possession: One deer a season, coupon required; prairie chicken, 8 a day or in possession; mountain and willow grouse, 3 in all a day or in possession; 10 ducks, 3 geese, 8 brant, 15 Wilson snipe, 25 sora, 15 in all of other rails, coots, and gallinules, 10 in all of plover and yellow legs a day or in possession. Persons under 12 years of age limited to half this number of birds. Possession permitted during first 5 days of close season. Commissioner may issue permit authorizing storage, possession, and use of game for 90 days after close of open season (except possession of migratory birds limited to 10 days after close of season).

Interstate transportation: Export of all protected game is prohibited; provided, birds, not exceeding the numbers allowed in possession, may be exported under permit from game commissioner (fee 25 cents for each bird) if permit be attached and packages plainly marked so as to show nature of contents, but not more than 2 days' limit of migratory birds shall be exported in any one calendar week; edible portion of deer may be exported under $5 permit from the commissioner.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed at any time, except that migratory game birds may be possessed only during open season where taken and first 10 days of close season. Importer must secure from State game and fish commissioner a certificate, fee $1, to import game.

Sale: Sale of all game taken in State prohibited, but game (except migratory birds) coming from without State may be sold under license by indorsement of shipping invoice to purchaser.

CONNECTICUT

Open seasons: [14]	*Dates inclusive*
Deer [15]	
Hare, rabbit (except Belgian or German hare and jack rabbit, unprotected)	Nov. 1–Dec. 15.
Gray squirrel, ruffed grouse, pheasant, male only, woodcock	Oct. 8–Nov. 23.
Duck, goose, brant	Oct. 1–Jan. 15.
Coot (mudhen), gallinule	Oct. 1–Dec. 31.
Black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Sept. 1–Nov. 30.
Wilson or English snipe	Oct. 1–Nov. 30.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 12–Nov. 30.

No open season: Quail, Hungarian partridge (Oct. 8, 1925); pheasant hen, dove, swans, wood duck, eider ducks, auks, bitterns, fulmars, gannet, grebes, guillemots, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, murres, petrels, shearwaters, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident: $10.25. Resident citizen, $1.25. Not issued to persons under 16. Issued by city or borough clerk. Resident and his children may hunt during open season without a license on land on which he is actually domiciled if land is not used for club or

CONNECTICUT—Continued

Hunting and fishing licenses—Continued shooting purposes. Alien not permitted to hunt. Licensee must report amount of game killed. Fishing license, required of males over 16 years of age: Nonresident, $2.25; resident, $1.25. Resident and his children may fish during open season without a license in waters on land on which he is actually domiciled, if such land or waters are not used for club or fishing purposes.

Bag limits and possession: Five gray squirrels a day, 30 a season; 3 rabbits a day, 30 a season; 5 woodcock a day, 36 a season; 3 ruffed grouse a day, 21 a season; 2 pheasants a day, 15 a season; 25 ducks, 8 geese, 8 brant a day; 10 in all of plover, yellowlegs, and Wilson snipe; 35 sora and 25 in all of other rails, coot, and gallinules a day. Possession of more than daily bag limit of game prima facie evidence of violation. Resident may possess during first 10 days of close season, for his own use and not for sale, game lawfully taken.

Interstate transportation: Export of all protected game prohibited; provided, a licensee under permit may export game lawfully killed and possessed, when tagged to show name, address, and license number of shipper, if not for sale; but not more than two days' limit of migratory birds may be exported in any one calendar week.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed at any time, except that migratory game birds may be possessed only during open season where taken and first 10 days of close season. Importer must secure from superintendent of fisheries and game a permit to import game.

Sale: Sale of all protected game prohibited.

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[14] *Connecticut:* Governor may suspend open seasons during time of drought.

[15] Owners of agricultural lands, member of family, or employee may kill deer with a shotgun at any time on such lands when deer are damaging fruit trees or growing crops, but such killing or wounding must be reported to the commissioners within 12 hours.

DELAWARE

Open seasons: [16]	*Dates inclusive*
Rabbit, hare, quail, partridge	Nov. 15–Dec. 31.
Squirrel (fox, black, gray)	Sept. 1–Oct. 15.
Dove (except in Newcastle County, no open season)	Sept. 1–Dec. 15.
Woodcock	Nov. 1–Dec. 31.
Duck, goose, brant, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, coot, gallinule	Oct. 16–Jan. 31.
Black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Aug. 16–Nov. 30.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 1–Nov. 30.
Reedbird (see Order, p. 35)	Sept. 1–Oct. 30.

No open season: Hungarian partridge or pheasant, swans, wood duck, eider ducks, bitterns, sandhill crane, grebes, gulls, herons, loons, murres, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident: Game, $10.50; fish, $3.50 (not good in Delaware River or Bay). Resident: Game and fish, $1.10 (required outside county of residence). Issued by commission. Resident landowner may hunt or fish during open season on own land without license. Unlawful to hunt on land of another without permission from owner or occupant. Fishing license not required of certain excursionists. Nonresidents who own or lease property at seaside summer resorts and their relatives, friends, and patrons sojourning at such resorts may fish for nongame fish and hunt without license during open season, between June 1 and September 30.

Bag limits and possession: Six in all of rabbits, hares, and squirrels, 20 ducks, 8 geese, 8 brant, 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs, 25 Wilson snipe, 6 woodcock, 50 sora, 25 in all of other rails, coots, and gallinules, but not more than 50 in all of sora and other rails combined; 12 birds of any other species (except reedbirds) a day. Possession of migratory birds permitted during first 10 days of close season; other game during first 5 days thereof.

DELAWARE—Continued

Interstate transportation: Export of rabbit, squirrel, quail, partridge, dove, woodcock, goose, and brant is prohibited; provided holder of license may export, open to view, 10 rabbits, 10 squirrels, 50 rails, and 20 birds or fowl of any other species a week, lawfully killed by himself, under affidavit that the game is not for sale. Resident may export ducks, snipe, and plover. In no event, however, may a person export more than 2 days' limit of migratory birds in any one calendar week.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

Sale: Sale of reedbirds and all protected game prohibited; provided, a resident may sell in his own county 20 rabbits a season, lawfully taken by him. Rabbits coming from without the State may be sold from November 15 to December 31.

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[16] *Delaware:* Minors under 15 years of age not permitted to hunt game with shotgun or rifle unless accompanied by an adult lawfully hunting.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA [17]

Open seasons:	*Dates inclusive*
Deer meat (sale or possession)	Sept. 1–Jan. 1.
Rabbit (except English rabbit, Belgian hare), squirrel (sale or possession)	Nov. 1–Feb. 1.
Marsh blackbird	Sept. 1–Feb. 1.
Duck, goose, brant, Wilson snipe, coot, gallinule	Nov. 1–Jan. 31.
Black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Sept. 1–Dec. 15.
Woodcock	Nov. 1–Dec. 31.
Rail, ortolan	Sept. 1–Nov. 30.
Reedbird (see Order, p. 35)	Sept. 1–Oct. 30.

No open season: Dove, swans, wood duck, bitterns, grebes, gulls, herons, loons, murres, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Bag limits and possession: Twenty-five ducks, 8 geese, 8 brant, 25 Wilson snipe, 6 woodcock, 50 sora, 25 in all of other rails, coots, and gallinules, 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs a day. Possession of migratory birds permitted during first 10 days of close season; quail, November 1 to March 15; ruffed grouse or pheasant (except English or other imported pheasants raised in inclosures, possession unrestricted) and wild turkey, November 1 to December 26; prairie chicken (pinnated grouse), September 1 to March 15.

Interstate transportation: Export of migratory game birds in excess of two days' bag limit in any one calendar week prohibited.

Migratory game birds taken outside of District and legally exported may be possessed during open season where taken and first 10 days of close season. Other game may be possessed during open season in District.

Sale: Sale of all game birds prohibited. Deer, rabbit, and squirrel may be sold during open season.

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[17] *District of Columbia:* Hunting prohibited in the District by act of June 30, 1906, except on the marshes of the Eastern Branch above Anacostia Bridge and below the Aqueduct Bridge on the Virginia side of the Potomac, but in these areas no birds may be shot within 200 yards of any bridge or dwelling.

FLORIDA

Open seasons:	*Dates inclusive*
Deer, squirrel (see exceptions), quail (bobwhite partridge), wild turkey	Nov. 20–Feb. 15.
Exceptions: Squirrels in Escambia County	Oct. 15–Mar. 1.
Squirrels in Holmes and Walton Counties	Oct. 20–Mar. 1.
Ruffed grouse, imported pheasants (see exception)	Nov. 20–Dec. 19.
Exception: English pheasant in Escambia County, no open season.	

FLORIDA—Continued

Open seasons—Continued	*Dates inclusive*
Duck, goose, brant, black-bellied and golden plovers, Wilson snipe, yellowlegs, coot, gallinule, dove	Nov. 20–Jan. 31.
Woodcock	Nov. 1–Dec. 31.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Nov. 20–Nov. 30.
Reedbird (ricebird) (see Order p. 35)	Aug. 16–Nov. 15.

No open season: All wild birds and animals (except opossum and skunk) protected on Pine Island, Lee County. Swans, wood duck, bitterns, sandhill and whooping cranes, gannet, grebes, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, petrels, shearwaters, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting licenses: Nonresident or alien (county license), $25; resident, $1.25 (county of residence); resident, $3.50 (county other than county of residence). License not required in voting precinct nor of Confederate veteran entitled to a State pension. Issued by county judge.

Bag limits and possession: Two deer, 5 turkeys, and 300 of any other game birds a year; 1 deer, 2 turkeys, 20 quail, 25 ducks, 8 geese, 8 brant, 25 Wilson snipe, 6 woodcock, 25 in all of rails, coots, and gallinules, 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs, and 25 doves a day. Camping or hunting party of 3 or more limited to 2 deer and 3 turkeys. Possession of migratory birds permitted during first 10 days of close season; other game during first 5 days thereof.

Interstate transportation: Export of all protected game is prohibited, except that nonresident licensee may carry out game as personal baggage, but not more than two days' limit of migratory game birds may be exported in any one calendar week.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

Sale: The sale of reedbirds (ricebirds) and all protected game is prohibited.

GEORGIA

(Laws of 1924 not received)

Open seasons:	*Dates inclusive*
Deer	Nov. 1–Dec. 31.
Rabbit, fox squirrel	Unprotected.
Cat squirrel	Oct. 1–Feb. 28.
Opossum	Oct. 1–Feb. 1.
Quail (except in Douglas County, no open season), partridge, wild turkey gobblers	Nov. 20–Feb. 28.
Duck, goose, brant, coot, gallinule	Nov. 1–Jan. 31.
Black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs, Wilson snipe, dove	Nov. 20–Jan. 31.
Woodcock	Nov. 1–Dec. 31.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 1–Nov. 30.
Reedbird (ricebird). (See Order, p. 35)	Aug. 16–Nov. 15.

No open season: Fawn, grouse, pheasant, turkey hen, introduced game birds, swans, wood duck, eider ducks, bitterns, sandhill and whooping cranes, gannet, grebes, gulls, herons, loons, petrels, shearwaters, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers and yellowlegs).

Hunting licenses: Nonresident, $15; resident, State, $3; county, $1 (good only in county of residence). License not required in militia district or to hunt on own or leased land. Issued by commissioner or county warden.

Bag limits and possession: Two deer, 2 turkeys a season; 15 cat squirrels, 25 quail, 25 ducks, 8 geese, 8 brant, 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs, 25 Wilson snipe, 6 woodcock, 25 in all of rails, coot, and gallinules, 25 doves a day. Possession of migratory birds except woodcock permitted during first 10 days of close season.

GEORGIA—Continued

Interstate transportation: Export of all protected game prohibited; provided, nonresident licensee may take out in personal possession game lawfully killed, but not more than 2 days' limit of migratory birds may be exported in any one calendar week.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be imported under a permit, fee $1 and possessed under a permit, fee $1, in like manner as game taken in State. Permits issued by game and fish commissioner.

Sale: Sale of reedbirds (ricebirds) and all protected game prohibited.

HAWAII

Open seasons:	*Dates inclusive*
Deer	Apr. 1–Oct. 31.
Pheasant (male), quail	Nov. 1–Jan. 31.
Wild dove, wild pigeon	July 1–Dec. 31.
Native wild duck	Nov. 1–Jan. 31.

No open season: Wild geese, hen pheasants, skylarks; wild goat, sheep, cattle, pigs.

Hunting licenses: Aliens and nonresident citizens (county license), fee $25; resident citizen, $5. Permission of owner or occupant required to hunt on lands of another.

Bag limits and possession: Cock pheasant, 5; other birds, 25 a day; possession of deer meat prohibited during closed season.

IDAHO

Open seasons:[18]	*Dates inclusive*
Elk in Bingham, Bonneville, Clark, Fremont, and Teton Counties	Nov. 1–Nov. 30.
Elk in Clearwater and Idaho Counties	Oct. 1–Nov. 15.
Mountain goat in Custer and Lemhi Counties	Oct. 1–Nov. 15.
Deer, mountain goat in Adams, Blaine, Boise, Bonneville, Butte, Clark, Elmore, Gooding, Jefferson, Lincoln, Madison, Power, Teton, and Valley Counties	Oct. 15–Nov. 15.
Deer in Clearwater, Custer, Idaho, Latah, Lemhi, Lewis, and Nez Perce Counties	Oct. 1–Nov. 15.
In Benewah, Bonner, Boundary, Kootenai, and Shoshone Counties	Nov. 1–Nov. 30.
In Franklin County	Oct. 15–Nov. 1.
Bear	Unprotected.
Quail in Ada, Gem, Gooding, Kootenai, Nez Perce, and Owyhee Counties	Nov. 1–Nov. 15.
Sage hen (see exceptions)	Aug. 1–Aug. 31.[19]
Exceptions: In Bear Lake and Caribou Counties	Aug. 16–Aug. 31
In Ada, Adams, Blaine, Boise, Camas, Canyon, Cassia, Elmore, Franklin, Gem, Gooding, Jerome, Lincoln, Minidoka, Owyhee, Payette, Twin Falls, Valley, and Washington Counties	No open season.
Chinese, ring-necked, or Mongolian pheasants in Ada, Canyon, Gem, Gooding, Jerome, Latah, Lincoln, Nez Perce, Owyhee, Payette, Twin Falls, and Washington Counties	Nov. 1–Nov. 30.
In Bingham County	Nov. 1–Nov. 15.
Grouse in Benewah, Bonner, Boundary, Kootenai, and Shoshone Counties	Oct. 1–Oct. 31.
In Clearwater, Idaho, Latah, Lewis, and Nez Perce Counties	Sept. 15–Oct. 15.

IDAHO—Continued

Open seasons—Continued	*Dates inclusive*
Blue or dusky grouse in Bannock, Bingham, Bonneville, Butte, Clark, Fremont, Idaho, Lemhi, Madison, and Teton Counties	Sept. 15–Oct. 15.
In Bear Lake, Caribou, Franklin, and Oneida [19] Counties	Sept. 1–Oct. 1.
Ruffed grouse in Bannock, Bear Lake, Bingham, Bonneville, Butte, Caribou, Clark, Custer, Franklin, Fremont, Jefferson, Madison, Oneida,[19] Power[19] and Teton Counties.	Sept. 15–Oct. 15.
Dove	Sept. 1–Dec. 15.
Duck, goose, brant, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs, coot, and gallinule	Sept. 16–Dec. 31.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 1–Nov. 30.

No open season: Deer, elk, mountain goat (except as above); moose, antelope, caribou, mountain sheep, buffalo, spotted fawn, calf elk; quail, grouse (except as above), imported pheasants (except Chinese ring-necked, and Mongolian pheasants as above); prairie chicken, swans, wood duck, bitterns, little brown and sandhill cranes, grebes, gulls, herons, loons, terns, and all shorebirds (except Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident:[20] Game and fish, $25; bird, $5; fish, $3. Alien: Game and fish, $50; fish, $10; gun license, $5. Resident: Game and fish, $2. Issued by warden, deputy, or authorized agent. Fishing license not required of minor under 14 years of age or of resident women, and veterans of Civil War may hunt and fish without a license. Persons under 12 prohibited from possessing gun afield.

Bag limits and possession: One deer, 1 elk, 1 goat a season; 8 quail; 4 in all of Chinese ring-necked and Mongolian pheasants; 6 in all of sage hen, native pheasant, and grouse a day or in possession; 25 doves, 25 ducks, 8 geese, 8 brant, 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs, 25 Wilson snipe, 50 sora and 25 in all of other rails, coots, and gallinules a day. Migratory waterfowl may be stored by owner, under affidavit and storage permit, during open season and 10 days thereafter. Game may not be shipped, transported, or carried more than 5 days after close of open season.

Interstate transportation: Export of all protected game prohibited; provided, a hunter may export one day's limit of game birds and, under hunting-license coupon, big game lawfully taken; big game once shipped within State may be exported under a 50-cent permit obtained from game warden or deputy. Mounted heads and stuffed birds legally secured may be exported under a reshipping permit. Shipment of game by parcel post prohibited.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

Sale: Sale of all protected game prohibited. Hides, heads, and horns may be sold under permit.

[18] *Idaho:* State game warden may close season in any county or part thereof on any species of game or fish which is threatened with extinction.

[19] No open season for sage hens and grouse in that portion of Minidoka National Forest, Sublette Division, in Power and Oneida Counties.

[20] Residents of adjoining States having larger nonresident license fee for big game hunting must pay fee charged in own State.

ILLINOIS

Open seasons: [21]	*Dates inclusive*
Rabbit, in Southern and Central Zones	Nov. 10–Jan. 1.
In Northern Zone	Nov. 10–Jan. 31.
Squirrel, in Northern Zone	Sept. 1–Dec 1.
In Central Zone	Aug. 1–Dec. 1.
In Southern Zone	July 1–Dec. 1.
Quail (bobwhite)	Nov. 10–Dec. 10.
Prairie chicken	Nov. 10–Nov. 21.
Introduced pheasant (cocks)	Nov. 10–Nov. 15.
Dove	Sept. 1–Sept.30.
Duck (except wood duck), goose, brant, Wilson snipe, coot, gallinule, black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Sept. 16–Dec. 31.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 16–Nov. 30.

No open season: Deer (1929); wild turkey, introduced pheasant hen, sand grouse, ruffed grouse (partridge), blue, mountain, and valley quail, Hungarian partridge, capercailzie, heath hen, black grouse, woodcock (1929); swans, wood duck, eider ducks, bitterns, little brown, sandhill, and whooping cranes, grebes, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, murres, petrels, terns, and all shorebirds (except Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting licenses:[22] Nonresident citizen, $10.50; resident citizen, $1. Licenses not issued to aliens, nor to minors under 16 without written consent of parent or guardian. Issued by village, county, or city clerk. Owners, their children, and tenants in actual residence may hunt during open season on own land without license. Permission required to hunt on lands of another. Taxidermist, $5.

Bag limits and possession: Ten squirrels, 15 rabbits, 12 quail, 3 prairie chickens, 2 cock pheasants, 15 doves, 15 in all of black-bellied and golden plovers and yellowlegs, 15 snipe, 15 in all of coot and gallinules, 15 rail, but not more than 25 in all of rails, coots, and gallinules, 15 ducks, 8 geese, 8 brant a day. Limit, in possession, 20 squirrels, 36 quail, 12 prairie chickens, 6 cock pheasants, 25 doves, 50 black-bellied and golden plovers and yellowlegs, 50 snipe, 60 coots and gallinules, 60 rail, 60 ducks, 10 geese, 10 brant.

Interstate transportation: Export of all protected game (except rabbit) prohibited; provided, nonresident licensee may take from State 50 game birds or animals, if carried openly for inspection, but not more than 2 days' limit of migratory birds may be exported in any one calendar week. Resident may carry out game under his license.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

Sale: Sale of all protected game (except rabbit during open season) prohibited.

[21] *Illinois: Southern Zone* includes Madison, Bond, Fayette, Effingham, Jasper, Crawford, and all counties south. *Central Zone* includes Hancock, McDonough, Fulton, Tazewell, McLean, Ford, and all counties south to northern boundary of Southern Zone. *Northern Zone* includes rest of counties of State.

[22] Angling licenses: Resident, $0.50; nonresident, $1.25. Issued by county, city, and village clerks. Not required of person under 21.

INDIANA

Open seasons:	*Dates inclusive*
Rabbit	Apr. 1–Jan. 9.
Squirrel	Aug. 1–Nov. 30.
Quail, ruffed grouse	Nov. 10–Dec. 20.
Prairie chicken	Oct. 15–Nov. 1.
Duck, goose, brant	Sept. 16–Dec. 31.
Woodcock	Oct. 1–Nov.30.

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Open seasons—Continued	*Dates inclusive*
Black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, coot, gallinule	Sept. 16–Dec. 20.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 1–Nov. 30.

No open season: Deer, Hungarian partridge, introduced pheasant, wild turkey, dove, swans, wood-duck, bitterns, sandhill and whooping cranes, gannet, grebes, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, murres, petrels, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident: Game and fish, $15.50; fish, $1. Resident: Game and fish, $1. Issued by clerk circuit court. Not issued to person under 14 without written consent of parent or guardian. Honorably discharged soldiers, sailors, and marines, and those in the regular service who are resident of the State require no license to hunt and fish; owners of farm land, their children living with them, and tenants may hunt during open season on own land without a license. No license required of persons to fish in county of residence or contiguous counties. All children under 18 and wife of licensee may fish without license. Permission required to hunt on lands of another.

Bag limits and possession: Fifteen quail, 5 prairie chickens, 15 ducks, 8 geese, 8 brant a day; 45 quail, 45 ducks, 24 geese, 24 brant, in possession as result of 3 or more days' consecutive hunting; 25 Wilson snipe, 6 woodcock, 50 sora, and 25 in all of other rails, coots, and gallinules, and 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs a day. Possession of waterfowl permitted during first 10 days of close season.

Interstate transportation: Export of deer, quail, grouse, prairie chicken, pheasant, wild turkey, woodcock, duck, goose, brant, and other waterfowl prohibited, except that nonresident may take from State 15 birds, killed by himself (or 45 if he has hunted for 3 or more days consecutively) if carried openly for inspection together with license, but not more than two days' limit of migratory birds may be exported in any one calendar week.

Deer, turkeys, and rabbits taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed at any time; other game legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

Sale: Sale of quail, prairie chicken, introduced pheasants, Hungarian partridges, and migratory birds prohibited.

Miscellaneous: Shooting on highways or with searchlight prohibited.

IOWA

Open seasons:	*Dates inclusive*
Squirrel (gray, timber, or fox)	Sept. 1–Jan. 1.
Duck, goose, brant, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, coot, gallinule, black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Sept. 16–Dec. 31.
Woodcock	Oct. 1–Nov. 30.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 16–Nov. 30.

No open season: Deer, elk; quail, prairie chicken, introduced pheasants, Hungarian partridge (1927); ruffed grouse or pheasant, wild turkey (1932); turtle dove, swans, wood duck, eider ducks, bitterns, little brown, sandhill, and whooping cranes, grebes, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, murres, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident or alien, game, $10; nonresident, fish, $3 (required of males over 18 years of age). Resident citizen, $1. Issued by county auditor. License not granted to persons under 18 without written consent of parent or guardian. Owners of farm lands, their children, and tenants, may hunt on own lands during open season without license. Unlawful to hunt on cultivated or inclosed lands of another without permission from owner.

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Bag limits and possession: Fifteen ducks, 8 geese, 8 brant, a day, 50 waterfowl in possession; 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs, 5 Wilson snipe, 6 woodcock, 5 each of rails, coots, and gallinules a day, but not more than 25 in all of rails, coots, and gallinules a day; 5 of each species in possession. Possession permitted during first 10 days of close season.

Interstate transportation: Export of all protected game prohibited, except that nonresident may take from State not more than 25 game birds or animals, if carried openly for inspection, and if hunting license be shown on request, but not more than two days' limit of migratory birds may be exported in any one calendar week.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed at any time, except that migratory game birds may be possessed only during open season where taken and first 10 days of close season. After expiration of first 10 days of close season in State, possessor of game must show lawful taking.

Sale: Sale of all protected game prohibited.

KANSAS

Open seasons:	*Dates inclusive*
Fox squirrel	Aug. 1–Jan. 1.
Quail (season closed in odd, open in even years)	Dec. 1–Dec. 10.
Prairie chicken	Sept. 20–Sept. 30
Dove	Sept. 1–Oct. 15.
Duck, goose, brant, Wilson snipe, coot, gallinule, black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Sept. 16–Dec. 31.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 1–Nov. 30.

No open season: Deer, antelope (1925); red, gray, and black squirrels, ruffed grouse (partridge), pheasant (English, Mongolian, Hungarian); woodcock, swans, wood duck, eider ducks, bitterns, little brown, sandhill, and whooping cranes, grebes, gulls, herons, loons, terns, and all shorebirds (except Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting licenses: Nonresident, $15. Issued by secretary of state. Resident, $1. Issued by county clerk. Resident landowner or member of family may hunt on own land during open season without a license. Unlawful to hunt on land of another or on highway or railroad right of way adjacent thereto without consent of owner, unless accompanied by him. Alien not permitted to hunt.

Bag limits and possession: Quail, 10 a day, 50 a season; 25 in all of ducks, coots, and gallinules; 20 doves, 5 prairie chickens, 5 in all of geese and brant, 6 rails, and 15 in all of Wilson snipe, plovers, and yellowlegs a day. Possession permitted during first 5 days of close season.

Interstate transportation: Export of all protected game birds prohibited, except that a person may carry or transport open to view, and in his personal possession, not more than 2 days' limit of 2 kinds of game, legally taken by himself.

Game of not more than two kinds, and not more than two days' bag limit, taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed at any time, except that migratory game birds may be possessed only during open season where taken and first 10 days of close season. After expiration of first 5 days of close season in State, possessor of game must show lawful taking.

Sale: Sale of all protected game birds prohibited.

KENTUCKY

Open seasons:	*Dates inclusive*
Rabbit [22]	Nov. 15–Dec. 31.
Squirrel	July 1–Dec. 15.
Quail, ruffed grouse (native pheasant)	Nov. 15–Jan. 1.
Dove	Sept. 1–Dec. 15.
Woodcock	Nov. 15–Nov. 30.

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Open seasons—Continued	*Dates inclusive*
Duck, goose, brant, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, coot, gallinule, black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Sept. 16–Dec. 31.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 1–Nov. 30.

No open season: Deer, elk (1928); introduced pheasants, Hungarian partridge, wild turkey (1928); swans, wood duck, bitterns, sandhill and whooping cranes, grebes, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, petrels, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting licenses: Nonresident or alien, $7.50. Resident, $1. Issued by county clerk. Resident landowner, tenant, and members of families may hunt on own land during open season without license. Unlawful to enter inclosed lands of another for shooting, hunting, or fishing without consent.

Bag limits and possession: Twelve quail a day, 12 in possession for each successive day of hunt; 15 doves a day, 15 in possession for each successive day of hunt; 2 ruffed grouse a day; 25 ducks, 8 geese, 8 brant, 6 woodcock, 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs, 25 Wilson snipe, and 25 in all of other rails, coot, and gallinules a day.

Interstate transportation: Export of deer, elk, and all game birds prohibited, except that a hunter may transport game lawfully killed and possessed by him, but not more than 2 days' limit of migratory birds may be exported in any one calendar week.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed during open season in State in like manner as game taken in State.

Sale: Sale of quail, partridge, grouse, introduced or native pheasant, Hungarian partridge, wild turkey, and migratory birds, wherever killed, prohibited.

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[23] *Kentucky:* Rabbits may be taken with dogs or traps (except snares) at any time for a person's own use on his own land, but not for sale or barter.

LOUISIANA

Open seasons:	*Dates inclusive*
Deer,[24] bear,[25] squirrel, chipmunk, hare, rabbit, dove	Nov. 15–Jan. 31.
Quail	Dec. 1–Feb. 15.
Wild turkey	Dec. 1–Jan 31.
Gros-bec (night heron)	July 1–Nov. 1.
Duck, goose, brant, black-bellied and golden plovers, Wilson snipe, yellowlegs, rail, coot, gallinule	Nov. 1–Jan. 31.

No open season: Fawns, elk, prairie chicken, introduced pheasant, upland plover (papabotte) (1926); swans, wood duck, woodcock, bittern, sandhill and whooping cranes, gannet, grebes, gulls, herons, loons, petrels, terns, and all shorebirds (except Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting licenses: Nonresident or alien: Deer and bear, $50; other game, $25; resident, $1. Issued by tax collectors. Nonresident or alien not permitted to hunt for profit. License does not authorize hunting on land of another without his written consent.

Bag limits and possession: Two deer a day or in possession, 5 a season; 15 squirrels and chipmunks, 15 quail, 1 turkey, 25 doves, 25 ducks, 8 geese, 8 brant, 10 in all; 25 in all of rails, coots, and gallinules; 15 gros-becs; 15 in all of plovers, and yellowlegs; 25 Wilson snipe and 15 other birds in all a day. Possession permitted during first five days of close season.

Interstate transportation: Export of all protected game prohibited; provided a nonresident licensee may carry with him out of the State under his license two days' limit of game, if not for sale; the head, hide, feet, or fur of wild quadrupeds, and plumage or skin of birds legally taken may be exported if contained in a package properly marked. All game and all packages containing game must be tagged to show kind and number, names of consignor and consignee, initial point of billing, and destination. Bears may not be exported, except under written permission of conservation department.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed at any time, except that migratory game birds may be possessed only during open season where taken and first 10 days of close season. After expiration of first 5 days of close season in State, possessor of game must show lawful taking.

Sale: Sale of all game (except squirrels and rabbits during open season) prohibited.

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[24] *Louisiana:* Deer season fixed by conservation commissioner.

[25] Nonresidents coming into State to hunt bears must report in writing to conservation department before arrival at destination.

MAINE[26]

Open seasons:[27]	*Dates inclusive*
Deer (see exception)	Oct. 16–Nov. 30.
Exception: In Androscoggin, Cumberland, Kennebec, Knox, Lincoln, Sagadahoc, Waldo, and York Counties	Nov. 1–Nov. 30.
Hare, rabbit	Oct. 1–Feb. 28.
Gray squirrel	Oct. 1–Oct. 31.[28]
Ruffed grouse, partridge, woodcock	Oct. 1–Nov. 30.
Duck, goose, brant, Wilson snipe, coot, gallinule (see exception)	Sept. 16–Dec. 31.
Exception: Waterfowl, in Back Bay, Portland, above Grand Trunk railway bridge	No open season.
Black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs (see exception)	Aug. 16–Nov. 30.
Exception: In Merrymeeting Bay and towns adjacent thereto	Sept. 16–Nov. 30.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 1–Nov. 30.

No open season: Moose (1925); deer on Cross, Scotch, Swan, and Mount Desert Islands, and in towns of Deer Isle, and Stonington, in Hancock County, in Isle au Haut, in Knox County, in Perkins, Sagadahoc County, Kineo Point and Katahdin Park Game Preserve, Piscataquis County, Ganeston Park and Augusta Game Preserve, Kennebec County, Rangeley Game Preserve, Franklin and Oxford Counties, Lincoln County Game Preserve, and in all places where hunting is prohibited by law; cow and calf moose, caribou, quail, Hungarian partridge, pheasant, black game, capercailzie, cock of the woods, dove, swans, wood duck, eider ducks, auks, bitterns, gannet, grebes, guillemots, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, murres, petrels, puffins, shearwaters, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident hunting licenses: Deer or other game (except caribou and moose), October 16–December 31, $15; birds, prior to October 16 in Aroostook, Franklin, Hancock, Oxford, Penobscot, Piscataquis, Somerset, and Washington Counties, $5; season (except November) in rest of State (8 southern counties), $5. For November (in southern counties), a $15 license is required. Holder of a license may exchange it for a license for which a larger fee is required by paying the difference in cost. Nonresident must be accompanied by registered guide when hunting or when camping and kindling fires while fishing, on wild lands (land in unorganized or unincorporated townships), May 1 to November 30. Nonresident fishing license, $3.15 (not required of children under 16 years of age); resident alien fishing license, $2.15. Resident alien, game, $15 (not required of aliens who pay taxes on real estate and who have resided in State two years continuously prior to application). Taxidermist: Resident citizen, $5; resident alien, $25. Guide licenses: Nonresident, $20 (issued only

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Hunting and fishing licenses—Continued to residents of adjoining States or Provinces); resident, $1. Must not guide more than five persons hunting at one time. Sporting camp, $5. Shipping licenses (within State): Resident, deer, $2; one pair of game birds in seven days, 50 cents. Issued by commissioner.

Resident hunting and fishing license, fee 25 cents. Resident or member of immediate family may hunt during open season on own land used exclusively for agricultural purposes and on which he is actually domiciled without a license. License valid as long as holder remains citizen of State. Issued by city, town, and plantation clerks.

Bag limits and possession: Two deer (except in Androscoggin, Cumberland, Kennebec, Knox, Lincoln, Sagadahoc, Waldo, and York Counties, collectively, limit 1) a season; 5 ruffed grouse a day, 25 a season; 10 ducks, 8 geese, 8 brant, 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs but not more than 5 plovers, 10 Wilson snipe, 6 woodcock, and 25 in all of rails, coot, and gallinules a day. Transportation of migratory game birds must be completed within five days after close of season; reasonable time allowed after close of season to transport other game to home of owner. Deer may not be used or had in possession in lumber camps. Possession of migratory birds limited to first 10 days of close season; deer legally secured may be possessed during close season.

Interstate transportation: Export of all protected game prohibited; provided, a resident of the State, under shipping license (fee, $5) may export 5 partridges, 6 woodcock, or 10 ducks, lawfully killed by himself, but he must accompany the birds. A nonresident may export, open to view under hunting-license tags, 2 deer, 5 partridges, 10 ducks, and 6 woodcock, lawfully killed by himself, upon identifying same at shipping point; nonresident licensee may also ship out one pair of game birds a month under a special 50-cent license.

Moose or caribou, or parts thereof, taken outside of State and legally exported may be imported under permit and shipping tag and possessed at any time. Deer properly tagged where taken and game birds may be imported under permit during open season in State and possessed in like manner as game killed in State, but not more than 2 deer may be killed anywhere and possessed in State during one season. Permits and shipping tags issued by commissioner of inland fisheries and game.

Sale: Sale of all protected game birds prohibited; unlawful to sell or give away deer for export. Local provision dealer, under $5 license, may purchase 2 deer for retail to his customers. Deer skins and skins with heads attached may be bought and sold by residents under $25 license. Heads when detached from skins with which purchased may be sold to licensed taxidermists.

Miscellaneous: Unlawful to possess rifle or shotgun, either loaded or with a cartridge in the magazine thereof, in or on any motor vehicle while upon any highway or in the fields or forest.

[36] *Maine:* Commissioner may make local regulations and governor may suspend hunting or fishing seasons during drought.

[37] All hunting is prohibited on Kineo Point and Mount Katahdin, Piscataquis County; on Prouts Neck, and on Richmonds Island, Cumberland County; southern point Swan Island; and locally in town of Eden, Hancock County, Cape Elizabeth, and town of Scarboro, Cumberland County. (See State laws for details and other protected areas).

[38] Squirrels protected in parks and in compact or built-up portions of cities and villages.

MARYLAND

Open seasons:	*Dates inclusive*
Deer (male—having an antler 6 or more inches in length without points) in Allegany County and within game preserves inclosed with 7-foot fence in Washington County	Dec. 1–Dec. 15.
Rabbit, quail (partridge), ruffed grouse (pheasant), wild turkey (see exception)	Nov. 10–Jan. 1.
Exception: Wild turkey in Garrett County	Nov. 10–Dec. 24.
Squirrel [39]	Sept. 1–Oct. 15. Nov. 10–Jan. 1.
Woodcock	Nov. 10–Dec. 31.
Dove	Sept. 1–Dec. 15.
Duck, goose, brant, Wilson snipe, coot, gallinule	Nov. 1–Jan. 31.[40]
Black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Aug. 16–Nov. 30.[40]
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 1–Nov. 1.
Reedbird (see Order, p. 35)	Sept. 1–Oct. 30.

No open season: Deer, elk (1928); introduced pheasant, swans, wood duck, eider ducks, auks, bitterns, sandhill crane, gannet, grebes, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, murres, petrels, shearwaters, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting licenses: Nonresident, $10.50 (fee $5.10 for State license if applicant owns real estate in Maryland assessed at $500; $1.10 for county license in county where such real estate is located); resident, State, $5.10; county, $1.10; issued by clerks of circuit court—in Baltimore City by clerk, court of common pleas. License not issued to person under 14 years of age without written request of parent or guardian. Licensee required to wear tag displayed on middle of back. Owners, tenants, and their children may hunt on own land during open season without license. Patuxent River Club license, $25; issued by clerk of circuit court.

Sinkbox, sneak boat, blind, pusher.—Cecil: Sneak boat (Bohemia and Elk Rivers), $5.50; sinkbox (Bohemia and Elk Rivers), $10.50 (see also Sassafras River). *Anne Arundel:* Pusher, $2; booby and brush blinds (west side Chesapeake Bay), $5; (South River), $2.50. *Harford:* Sinkbox, $20.75; sneak boat, $5.75. *Kent:* In waters from Fairlee Creek to north end of Hickory Thicket, blind, $5 (see also Sassafras River). *Comegys Bight:* Sinkbox, $20.50; blind, $5.50. *Queen Anne:* Sinkbox, $10.50; booby blind, $5.50. *Susquehanna Flats:* Sinkbox, $20.75; sneak boat, $5.75. *Talbot:* Sinkbox or blind, $5 (issued to county resident only). *Patuxent River:* Pusher, $2.50 (required of residents to push or paddle nonresidents); blind, $5.25 (required in Calvert County, south of Hunting Creek). *Sassafras River:* Sinkbox, blind, $10.50 (issued only to residents of Kent and Cecil Counties or owners of real estate therein assessed at $500).

Bag limits and possession: One deer, 4 wild turkeys a season; 10 rabbits, 25 squirrels, 12 quail (partridge), 2 ruffed grouse, 6 woodcock, 25 doves, 25 jacksnipe, 15 yellowlegs, 5 black-bellied plover, 15 golden plover (but not more than 15 plover, and yellowlegs combined), 50 reedbirds, 50 sora, 25 in all of other rails, coots, and gallinules (but not more than 50 sora and other rails combined), 25 waterfowl (but not more than 8 geese and 8 brant) a day for each licensed gunner (not exceeding 4) connected with an outfit. Possession of waterfowl, Wilson snipe, and plovers permitted during first 10 days of close season, and of doves until December 24.

Interstate transportation: Export of all protected game (except waterfowl) prohibited; provided,

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a licensed hunter may take out under his license an amount equal to one day's bag limit of game, if not for sale; provided, further, no person may take out more than 50 ducks, 16 geese, and 16 brant in any one calendar week.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

Sale: Sale of quail, ruffed grouse, wild turkey, introduced pheasant, and doves, reedbirds, and all other migratory game birds is prohibited.

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[29] *Maryland:* Owner or tenant may shoot squirrel on own land Sept. 1 to Jan. 1.

[30] Wild-fowl shooting restricted locally as follows: On the Susquehanna Flats north of a line extending from Turkey Point Lighthouse, Cecil County, and half a mile north of Spesutia Island to Oakington, Harford County, hunting allowed only on Mondays Wednesdays, and Fridays, Nov. 1–Jan. 1, and Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays, and Saturdays, Jan. 1–Jan. 31; in Harford County only before 2 p. m.; in Anne Arundel County, on Magothy River on Tuedsays, Thurdsays, and Saturdays; on Rhode and West Rivers on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays; in Calvert County, on Patuxent River south of Hunting Creek and on Severn River on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Saturdays; in Cecil County, on Bohemia and Elk Rivers on Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays, and Saturdays; in Dorchester County, on Choptank River on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays; in Kent County, on Chester River and tributaries, on Mondays and Fridays only, Nov. 1 to Jan. 24, except that in Comegys Bight shooting is permitted from sink-boxes and blinds on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Saturdays, Nov. 1 to Jan. 31, in St. Marys County, on Wicomico River and tributaries on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays.

MASSACHUSETTS

Open seasons: [31]	*Dates inclusive*
Deer (from sunrise, first Monday in December to sunset the following Saturday, inclusive)	Dec. 1–Dec. 6.
Hare (known as varying or Canada hare or snowshoe or white rabbit) or rabbit (see exception)	Oct. 20–Feb. 28.
Exception: European hares in Berkshire County, unprotected.	
Gray squirrel, quail, ruffed grouse, pheasant (male),[32] woodcock (see exception)	Oct. 20–Nov. 20.
Exception: Quail in Dukes, Essex, Hampden, Hampshire, Middlesex, Nantucket, Norfolk, and Worcester Counties (1925).	
Duck, goose, brant, Wilson snipe, gallinule	Sept. 16–Dec. 31.
Black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Aug. 16–Nov. 30.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 1–Nov. 30.

No open season: Moose, dove, prairie chicken, Hungarian partridge, pheasants (English, golden Mongolian),[32] heath hens, swans, wood duck, eider ducks, auks, bitterns, sandhill and whooping cranes, fulmars, gannet, guillemots, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, murres, terns, and all shore-birds (except woodcock, Wilsons snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing [33] licenses: Nonresident citizen: General, $10; fish, $2. Members of incorporated game clubs owning real estate assessed at not less than $500 for each member, and which were organized prior to 1907; owners or their minor children over 18 years old, of real estate assessed at not less than $500; or nonresidents invited (for not more than four days) by members of incorporated club for hunting foxes, pay a fee of $1.50 Resident citizens: General, $2; hunt and trap, $1.50; fish, $1. License not issued to minors under 15, and those under 18 years of age must apply in writing and furnish written consent of parent or guardian. A license (fee, 25 cents) to trap quadrupeds, in discretion of issuing officer, may be issued to any minor between the ages of 12 and 18, who is a citizen. Resident may hunt during open season on own land used exclusively for agricultural purposes and on which he is actually domiciled, and minors under 18 may fish, without a license. Alien: General, $15; fish, $2 (applicant must own real estate to the assessed value of $500 to secure a hunting license but fishing license may be issued to applicant who has taken out first naturalization papers). Issued by city or town clerks.

Bag limits and possession: One deer a season; 2 hares and 5 rabbits a day or in possession; 5 gray squirrels a day, 15 a season; 4 quail a day, 20 a season; 3 ruffed grouse a day, 15 a season; 2 pheasants a day, 6 a season; 4 woodcock a day, 20 a season; 25 ducks, 8 geese, 8 brant, 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs, 25 Wilson snipe, 50 sora, and 25 in all of other rails, coots, and gallinules (but not more than 25 in all of Wilson snipe, coots, and gallinules or more than 25 in all of coots, gallinules, and rails other than sora) a day. Resident may possess deer during first 30 days and other game during first 10 days of closed season if legally taken or acquired by him, and for his personal use only and not for sale; game legally taken and exported from another State or country may be imported and possessed for 10 days after arrival. Under permit from director, resident may bring into State not more than 50 migratory game birds.

Interstate transportation: Export of quail, woodcock, and ruffed grouse taken in State prohibited; provided a nonresident under his license may take 10 birds into another State according similar privilege, if carried open to view and the commission or district deputy is notified; provided further, a resident may export all game (except quail, ruffed grouse, woodcock), but not more than two days' bag limit of migratory birds may be exported in any one calendar week. No game illegally taken may be exported.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed for personal use as follows: Migratory game birds, during open season where taken and first 10 days of close season; other game, during open season and, if imported during close season, deer may be possessed 30 days and other game 10 days immediately succeeding arrival in State.

Sale: Sale of all game prohibited; provided, deer, moose, caribou, and elk lawfully killed and coming from without State, under warden's tag, may be sold under license at any time. Hares or rabbits lawfully secured and coming from a State where their sale is not prohibited may be sold during the open season.

Miscellaneous: Deer may be taken with a shotgun only. Unlawful to hunt or kill game with rifle or revolver during open season for deer, or to have dog in the woods, except in Dukes and Nantucket Counties.

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[31] *Massachusetts;* Governor may suspend open seasons during extreme drought.

[32] Commission may open season on pheasants.

[33] License required to fish in inland waters which have been stocked with fish by the commission since Jan. 1, 1910.

MICHIGAN

Open seasons: [34]	*Dates inclusive*
Deer (male, with horns not less than 3 inches above the skull)	Nov. 10–Nov. 30.
Rabbit, hare (see exception)	Oct. 15–Jan. 31.
Exception: Snowshoe or jack rabbit	Oct. 15–Feb. 15.
Squirrel (fox)	Oct. 15–Oct. 31.

MICHIGAN—Continued

Open seasons—Continued	Dates inclusive
Ruffed grouse, partridge (see exception), woodcock	Oct. 15–Nov. 20.
Exception: Ruffed grouse, Upper Peninsula	Oct. 15–Nov. 9.
Duck, goose, brant, Wilson snipe, coot, gallinule, black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Sept. 16–Dec. 31.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 16–Nov. 30.

No open season: Elk, moose, caribou, European partridge, dove, quail, squirrel (except fox squirrel), introduced pheasants, Hungarian partridge, black game, capercallzie, hazel grouse, Canada or spruce grouse, prairie chickens, wild turkey (1926), swans, wood duck, eider ducks, auks, bitterns, sandhill and whooping cranes, gannet, grebes, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, murres, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident: Deer, $50; small game, $10; fish, general, $5; special (fish, except brook trout and bass), $2 (fishing license not required of person under 18 years of age). Resident: Deer, $2.50; small game, $1. Issued by county clerks, director, or deputy. Licenses issued to persons under 17 and over 12 on application of parent or guardian, who must accompany such minor when hunting. Residents and minor children may hunt during open season small game on own inclosed land on which they reside without a license.

Bag limits and possession: One deer a season; 5 fox squirrels a day or in possession, 15 a season; 7 rabbits a day, 10 in possession, 25 a season; 5 partridges a day, 10 in possession, 25 a season; 25 ducks a day, 50 in possession, 50 a calendar week; 6 geese and brant a day or in possession, 25 a season; 6 woodcock a day, 20 in possession, 25 a season; 15 Wilson snipe a day, 25 a season; 15 in all of black-bellied and golden plovers and yellowlegs a day, 25 in possession, 25 each a season; 50 sora and 25 in all of other rails, coots, and gallinules a day. Game birds lawfully killed may be possessed during first 10 days of close season, and game animals during first 30 days thereof. Camping party of six or not less than four licensed hunters maintaining a camp of not less than four persons for not less than seven days may, under permit (fee $3), kill one deer for camp purposes.

Interstate transportation: Export prohibited of all protected game. *Exceptions:* (1) Deer may be transported outside the State to reach a point within the State. (2) Nonresident licensee may take out, as hand baggage, open to view, one day's bag limit of birds, and may ship one deer lawfully killed by himself when license tag and seal are attached. (3) Deer skins and green or mounted buck-deer heads may be exported under permit.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

Sale: Sale prohibited of all protected game; provided, deer skins and green or mounted buck-deer heads lawfully taken may be sold or transported under permit.

[34] *Michigan:* The director upon approval of the Conservation Commission may shorten or close the season and otherwise restrict the taking of any species of game (except that he may not modify open seasons on waterfowl as fixed by Federal or State law) for a period not to exceed five years, in any county upon petition of 25 or more citizens of such county, if, upon public hearing, it is determined that the species is threatened with depletion or extinction. Such orders may be modified or rescinded when conditions warrant.

MINNESOTA

Open seasons:[35]	Dates inclusive
Deer (season closed in odd, open in even years)	Nov. 10–Nov. 20.
Rabbit (see exception)	Unprotected.
Exception: Varying hare, or snowshoe rabbit	Oct. 15–Mar. 1.

MINNESOTA—Continued

Open seasons—Continued	Dates inclusive
Black bear, squirrel (gray, black, or fox)	Oct. 15–Jan. 1.[36]
Quail	Oct. 15–Nov. 20.
Ruffed grouse or partridge (season closed in odd, open in even years)	Oct. 15–Nov. 20.
Male ring-necked pheasant (season closed in odd, open in even years)	Oct. 15–Oct. 18.
Prairie chicken or pinnated grouse, white-breasted or sharp-tailed grouse (season closed in even, open in odd years)	Sept. 16, 1925.
Dove	Sept. 16–Oct. 1.
Woodcock	Oct. 1–Nov. 30.
Duck (except wood duck), goose, brant, coot, gallinule, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, yellowlegs	Sept. 16–Dec. 31.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 16–Nov. 30.

No open season: Elk, moose, caribou, ring-necked pheasant hens, upland plover, black-bellied and golden plovers, swans, wood duck, eider ducks, auks, bitterns, little brown, sandhill, and whooping cranes, grebes, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident or alien: Big game, $50.25 (includes metal locking seal); small game, $15. Issued by commissioner. Fishing license, $2 (not required of person under 16 years of age). Issued by commissioner, county auditors, game wardens, and agents. Resident: Big game animals, $2.25 (includes metal locking seal); small game, $1; fish house, $1. Issued by county auditor. Not issued to person under 14 years of age. Owners, lessees, or members of their immediate families may hunt birds during open season on own or leased land occupied by them as permanent residence without license. Unlawful to enter growing grain fields for purpose of hunting without permission of owner.

Bag limits and possession: One deer a season; 5 geese, and 15 in all of ducks, coots, gallinules, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, yellowlegs, and rails a day, 45 in all in possession, 135 ducks a season; 10 quail a day, 20 in possession, 30 a season; 6 woodcock, 9 doves, but not more than 9 in all of woodcock and doves a day, 30 in all a season; 3 ring-neck pheasants a day or in possession, 3 a season. Possession permitted during first five days of close season. Under permit or tags deer may be possessed to February 28, migratory birds for 10 days after close of season, and other game birds to January 31.

Interstate transportation: Export of all protected game prohibited, except that nonresident licensee may ship home in open season under his license coupons 1 deer and 25 birds lawfully taken by himself, but not more than 16 geese or 12 woodcock may be exported in any one calendar week. Deer hides for tanning and heads for mounting may be exported when tagged with license coupons (deer season closed in odd years).

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed at any time under a retaining tag, obtained from State game and fish commissioner, except that migratory game birds may be possessed only during open season where taken and first 10 days of close season.

Sale: Sale of all protected game (except varying hare) prohibited; provided, hides of deer legally killed may be sold.

Miscellaneous: Unlawful to carry gun in motor vehicle unless unloaded in both barrel and magazine and taken apart or contained in a case. Unlawful to keep game in cold storage.

[35] *Minnesota:* All hunting prohibited within 3 miles of the corporate limits of Duluth, Minneapolis, and St. Paul.

[36] Squirrels protected within corporate limits of any city or village, or within one-fourth mile thereof.

MISSISSIPPI

Open seasons:[37]

	Dates inclusive
Deer (male), bear	Nov. 15–Mar. 1.
Rabbit, squirrel	Unprotected.
Quail or partridge	Nov. 1–Mar. 1.
Wild turkey gobblers	Jan. 1–May 1.
Dove	Oct. 16–Jan. 31.
Waterfowl, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, coot, poule d'eau, gallinule, black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Nov. 1–Jan. 31.
Woodcock	Nov. 1–Dec. 31.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 1–Nov. 30.

No open season: Does; turkey hens, swans, wood duck, bitterns, sandhill crane, grebes, gulls, herons, loons, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting licenses: Nonresident, $20 (county license). Issued by sheriff. Landowners and their nonresident relatives and friends may hunt during open season on own lands without license.

Bag limits and possession: One deer a day, 5 a season; 20 ducks, 8 geese, 8 brant, 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs, 25 Wilson snipe, 6 woodcock, 25 doves, 15 in all of rails, coots, and gallinules, but a mixed bag shall not exceed 20 birds. Possession of migratory birds permitted during first 10 days of close season.

Interstate transportation: Export of all protected game prohibited.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed only during open season in State, but migratory game birds may be possessed only during open season where taken and first 10 days of close season.

Sale: Sale of all protected game prohibited.

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[37] *Mississippi:* Local regulations of boards of supervisors may also be in force, but those relating to migratory birds must not be inconsistent with Federal regulations. The game law enacted in 1922 does not become effective in any county until adopted by the board of supervisors. It is not known to what extent, if at all, the boards have adopted the act. For information, address sheriffs or county clerks at the county seat of each county. The provisions of the 1922 law are as follows:

Open seasons.—Deer (male), Nov. 15–Feb. 15; bear, Nov. 1–Feb. 28; hare, rabbit, unprotected; squirrel, Oct. 15–Feb. 1; quail or partridge, Nov. 15–Mar. 1; wild turkey gobblers, Jan. 1–May 1; dove, Sept. 16–Dec. 31; waterfowl, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, coot, poule d'eau, gallinule, black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs, Nov. 1–Jan. 31; woodcock, Nov. 1–Dec. 31; rail, other than coot and gallinule, Sept. 1–Nov. 30.

No open season.—Does, spotted fawns, turkey hens, introduced pheasant, western quail, ruffed grouse, swans, wood duck, bitterns, sandhill crane, grebes, gulls, herons, loons, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses.—Nonresident (county license): All game, $50; quail and squirrel, $20; angling, $2. Issued by sheriff. Hunting and angling license not required of minor under 16 years of age. Landowners and their nonresident relatives and friends may hunt without license during open season on own lands. The board of supervisors may require a local resident hunting license and fix the fee therefor.

Bag limits and possession.—One deer a day, 3 a season; 1 bear and 2 turkey gobblers a season; 15 squirrels, 20 quail, 25 ducks, 8 geese, 8 brant, 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs, 25 Wilson snipe, 6 woodcock, 25 doves, 50 sora and 25 in all of other rails, coots, and gallinules a day, but nonresident may not kill more than 25 in all of migratory game birds a day. Possession of game permitted during first 10 days of close season.

Sale.—Sale of all protected game prohibited.

Export.—Export of all protected game prohibited; provided, a nonresident may take out of the State 2 turkey gobblers, 20 quail, 25 ducks, 8 geese, 8 brant, 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs, 25 Wilson snipe, 6 woodcock, 25 doves, 50 sora, and 25 in all of other rails, coots, and gallinules.

Propagation.—Game raised in captivity under license may be sold by dealer or proprietor of hotel or restaurant under $5 license.

MISSOURI

Open seasons:

	Dates inclusive
Deer (buck), wild turkey	Dec. 1–Dec. 31.
Squirrel	June 1–Dec. 31.
Quail (bobwhite partridge)	Nov. 10–Dec. 31.
Duck, goose, brant, Wilson snipe, coot, gallinule, black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Sept. 16–Dec. 31.
Woodcock	Nov. 10–Nov. 30.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 15–Nov. 30.

No open season: Does, fawns under 1 year of age, ruffed grouse (pheasant), prairie chicken (pinnated grouse), imported pheasants, other introduced game birds, dove, swans, wood duck, bitterns, little brown, sandhill, and whooping cranes, grebes, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident or alien: Game and fish: $10; fish, $3. Issued by commissioner. Resident: Game and fish: State, $2.50; county, $1, good in county of residence or adjoining county; fish (State), $1. Issued by county clerk or license collector. Fishing license not required in county of residence nor of women or minors who are citizens. Owners and tenants of agricultural lands and members of family under 21 residing thereon may hunt without license during open season on own or leased land when used for agricultural purposes only, but may not transport or ship game or fur animals therefrom without a license. Hunting on land of another prohibited without his consent.

Bag limits and possession: One deer, 4 turkeys a season; 1 turkey, 10 quail, 15 ducks, 8 geese, 8 brant, 6 woodcock, 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs, 15 Wilson snipe a day; 15 rails, 15 coots, 15 gallinules, but not more than 25 in all a day or in possession; or 2 turkeys, 15 quail, 25 of any other species of birds in possession. Possession of migratory birds permitted during first 10 days of close season; other game during first 5 days thereof.

State hunting license required to possess game.

Interstate transportation: Export of all protected game prohibited, except that not more than two days' limit of game may be exported under resident or nonresident license if carried openly as baggage or express or in owner's possession and accompanied by him.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like numbers and manner as game taken in State, except that migratory game birds may be possessed only during open season where taken and first 10 days of close season.

Sale: Sale of all protected game prohibited.

MONTANA

Open seasons:[38]

	Dates inclusive
Deer (male with horns 4 inches above the skull) (see exceptions)	Oct. 15–Nov. 15.
Exceptions: Deer, either sex, in Flathead, Lincoln, Mineral, Ravalli, and Sanders Counties	Oct. 15–Nov. 15.
In Carter, Custer, Dawson, Garfield, McCone, Phillips, Powder River, Prairie, Richland, Roosevelt, Rosebud, Stillwater, Teton, Valley, Yellowstone, and parts of Fergus, Gallatin, and Lewis and Clark Counties (1925).	

MONTANA—Continued

Open seasons—Continued	Dates inclusive
Elk in Flathead, Glacier, Madison, Pondera, Sweet Grass, Teton, and parts of Gallatin, Missoula, and Powell Counties	Oct. 15–Nov. 15.
In part of Lewis and Clark County	Nov. 5–Nov. 15.
In Park County	Oct. 15–Dec. 20.[39]
Bear (unlawful to trap)	No close season.
Pheasant, partridge, prairie chicken, fool hen, sage hen, grouse in State (except in Cascade County, no open season)	Sept. 15–Sept. 24.
Duck, goose, brant, black-bellied and golden plovers, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, yellowlegs, coot, gallinule	Sept. 16–Dec. 15.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 16–Nov. 30.

No open season: Sheep, goat (1926); elk (except as above), does and fawns, moose, caribou, antelope, bison, or buffalo; quail, introduced pheasant, Hungarian partridge, dove, swans, wood duck, bittern, little brown, sandhill, and whooping cranes, grebes, gulls, herons, loons, band-tailed pigeons, terns, and all shorebirds (except Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs.)

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident citizen: General, $30; small game and fish, $10; fish, $3.50. Alien: General, $50; fish, $10. Resident citizen,[40] General, $2.00. Guide (resident citizen), $10. Shipping (export), 50 cents. Taxidermist, $15. Issued by warden or deputy.

No license required of minor under 15. Alien not holding a hunting license required to obtain from warden $25 license to possess firearms.

Bag limits and possession: One buck (1 deer of any age or either sex in Flathead, Lincoln, Mineral, Ravalli, and Sanders Counties), 1 elk a season; 5 in all of grouse, partridges, prairie chickens, fool hens, pheasants, and sage hens a day or in possession; 20 ducks, 8 in all of geese and brant, 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs, 25 Wilson snipe, 25 in all of rails, coot, and gallinules a day. Waterfowl legally taken may be possessed until January 10 following close of open season.

Interstate transportation: Export of all protected game prohibited; provided, game lawfully killed may be exported in open season under hunting license, and shipping permit (fee, 50 cents) from State warden; total shipments under one license may not exceed season's bag limit, and not more than 2 days' limit of migratory birds may be exported in any one calendar week; packages must be labeled to show contents.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

Sale: Sale of bears and all protected game prohibited; provided, merchant or hotel or restaurant keeper may sell game, except migratory birds, killed outside the State. Under permit, mounted specimens or hides or heads of game animals or birds lawfully taken may be sold.

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[38] *Montana:* Commission may close season in any district on any species of game threatened with undue depletion from any cause, or reopen such districts.

[39] Commission may on five days' notice close season on elk in Park County any time after November 15.

[40] Resident licenses issued to officers of the Forest Service and of the Bureau of Biological Survey, U. S. Department of Agriculture, and to officers and soldiers of the U. S. Army.

NEBRASKA

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Squirrel (gray, red, fox, timber)	Sept. 16–Dec. 31.
Prairie chicken, grouse	Oct. 1–Nov. 1.

NEBRASKA—Continued

Open seasons—Continued	Dates inclusive
Duck, goose, brant, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs, coot, gallinule	Sept. 16–Dec. 31.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 16–Nov. 30.

No open season: Deer, elk, antelope, mountain sheep, quail, partridge, sage hen, pheasant, ptarmigan, introduced game birds, dove, wild turkey, woodcock, swans, wood duck, bitterns, little brown, sandhill, and whooping cranes, grebes, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, terns, and all shorebirds (except Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident: General, $10.10; fish, $2.10. Alien: General, $15.10; fish, $5.10. Resident, $1.10. Issued by State department of agriculture and authorized vendors. Licenses required of all persons over 16 years of age. Alien not permitted to hunt or to own or possess firearms.

Bag limits and possession: Ten squirrels a day, 20 in possession; 10 prairie chickens or grouse a day or in possession; 25 ducks a day, 50 in possession; 8 geese, 8 brant a day, 10 each in possession; 15 Wilson snipe a day, 25 in possession; 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs a day, 25 in possession; 15 rails, 25 coots, but not more than 25 rails and coots a day, 25 rails and 50 coots in possession, 50 in all of game birds in possession.

Possession permitted during first 10 days of close season.

Interstate transportation: Game may be transported by express or baggage during the open season if shipment is accompanied by shipper's affidavit that the game is not for sale or profit and was not taken contrary to law; package must be labeled with consignor's license number and kind of game, consigned to shipper, and accompanied by him; shipment must not contain more than 50 game birds or the possession bag limit on any species. Not more than two days' limit of migratory birds may be exported in any one calendar week.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

Sale: Sale of all protected game prohibited.

NEVADA

Open seasons:[41]	Dates inclusive
Deer (male with horns)	Oct. 16–Oct. 21.[42]
Bear	Nov. 15–Mar. 15.
Cottontail rabbit, mountain hare	Nov. 1–Dec. 31.
Grouse, mountain quail	Sept. 24–Sept. 30.
Sage hen or sage cock, prairie chicken	Aug. 16–Aug. 31.
Dove	Sept. 1–Dec. 15.
Duck, goose, brant, coot, gallinule, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Sept. 16–Dec. 31.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 1–Nov. 30.

No open season: Elk, sheep, goat, antelope (1930); does, fawns; quail, pheasant;[41] swans, wood duck, bitterns, little brown and sandhill cranes, grebes, gulls, herons, loons, murres, band-tailed pigeons, terns, and all shorebirds (except Wilson snipe or jacknipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses:[42] Nonresident: Game, $10; fish, $3. Alien: Fish, $7.50. Resident citizen: Game, $1.50; fish, $1.50. Hunting and fishing licenses issued free of charge to resident Indians. Issued by county clerks and wardens. Aliens prohibited from hunting. No license required of boys or girls under 14. Landowners may hunt and fish on own land without license during open season.

Bag limits and possession: One deer a season; 5 cottontail rabbits, 2 mountain hares, 10 valley quail, 5 mountain quail, 3 partridge, 3 grouse, 3 pheasants, 5 prairie chickens, 10 sage hens, 25

NEVADA—Continued

Bag limits and possession—Continued. ducks, 5 geese, 5 brant, 10 snipe, and 25 doves a day or in possession; 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs, 50 sora, and 25 in all of other rails, coots, and gallinules a day. Possession of migratory birds permitted during first 10 days of close season.

Interstate transportation: Export of all protected game prohibited.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

Sale: Sale of deer meat and of all other protected game prohibited.

[41] *Nevada:* County commissioners may fix open seasons on pheasants and valley quail, and shorten open seasons on other game upon petition of 50 or more resident electors of county; and may designate open season of 15 days on buck deer between September 15 and November 15, instead of October 16 to October 21, or close season entirely.

[42] Citizen of any State must pay same fee for hunting or fishing license as charged nonresidents by his State of residence.

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Open seasons: [43]	*Dates inclusive*
Deer in Coos County	Oct. 15–Nov. 30.
In Carroll County	Nov. 15–Dec. 15.
In Grafton County	Nov. 1–Dec. 15.
In rest of State	Dec. 1–Dec. 31.
Hare, rabbit	Oct. 1–Feb 28.
Partridge, ruffed grouse, woodcock	Oct. 1–Nov. 30.
Pheasant (male) in Hillsborough, Rockingham, and Strafford Counties only	Nov. 1–Nov. 6.
Duck, goose, brant, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, coot, gallinule	Sept. 16–Dec. 31.
Black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Aug. 16–Nov. 30.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 1–Nov. 30.

No open season: Elk, moose, caribou, dove, quail, pheasant, European partridge; gray squirrel (1929); swans, wood duck, eider ducks, auks, bitterns, sandhill crane, gannet, grebes, guillemots, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, murres, petrels, puffins, shearwaters, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident: Game and fish, $15; fish, $2.15. Resident: Game and fish, $1. Resident soldiers and sailors over 70 years of age may hunt and fish without a license. Fishing licenses not required of children under 16 years of age, nor of women or blind people. Issued by commissioner or his agent in each town, who with few exceptions is the town clerk. Licenses not granted to children under 13 years of age, and only with written consent of parent or guardian to minors under 16 years. Child under 16 may hunt without license when accompanied by licensed parent or guardian. Resident owner of farm lands and his minor children may hunt during open season on own land without license. Guide: Nonresident, $30; resident, $1. Issued by commissioner.

Bag limits and possession: Two deer a season in Coos and Carroll Counties, 1 in rest of State (person securing 1 deer in any of the one-deer counties may take 1 additional deer in Coos or Carroll County); 5 hares a day; 5 ruffed grouse a day, 25 a season; 6 woodcock a day, 25 a season; 20 ducks, 8 geese, 8 brant, 25 Wilson snipe, 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs, 50 sora, and 25 in all of other rails, coots, and gallinules a day. Deer may be possessed for a reasonable time after close of open season. Two pheasants a day, 6 a season.

Interstate transportation: Export of all protected game prohibited, provided, the head, hide, feet, or fur of game quadrupeds, and the plumage or skin of game birds (except migratory birds) legally taken and possessed may be transported without being marked.[44] Nonresident may take

NEW HAMPSHIRE—Continued

out of the State, under his hunting license and permit, one day's limit of game birds when properly marked and tagged and two deer under license tags.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

Sale: Sale of all migratory birds prohibited. Sale for food purposes prohibited of the dead bodies of birds belonging to a family any species or subspecies of which is native to and protected by the State; provided, deer, hares, and rabbits may be sold during the open season.

[43] *New Hampshire:* Governor and council may suspend open season in time of excessive drought.

[44] Sec. 243, Lacey Act (see footnote 2, p. 4).

NEW JERSEY

Open seasons:	*Dates inclusive*
Deer [45] (male, with horns visible above the hair)	Dec. 17–Dec. 21.
Raccoon	Oct. 1–Dec. 15.
Rabbit, squirrel, quail (see exception), ruffed grouse (partridge), prairie chicken, English or ring-necked pheasant cocks (see exception)	Nov. 10–Dec. 15.
Exceptions: Ring-necked pheasant in city of Trenton and township of Hamilton, Mercer County; in townships of Chesterfield, North Hanover, New Hanover, Pemberton, Woodland, Tabernacle, and Shamong, Burlington County; in townships of Waterford and Winslow, Camden County or within territory lying between said townships and Delaware River	No open season.
Quail in Bergen, Essex, Hudson, Hunterdon, Morris, Passaic, Somerset, Sussex, Union, and Warren Counties	Mar. 2, 1928.
Duck, goose, brant, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, coot, gallinule	Oct. 16–Jan. 31.
Black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Aug. 16–Nov. 30.
Woodcock	Oct. 1–Nov. 30.
Reedbird (see Order, p. 35)	Sept. 1–Oct. 30.
Rail (marsh hen,) other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 1–Nov. 30.

No open season: Does and fawns, wild turkeys, English or ring-necked pheasant hens, Hungarian partridge, dove, swans, wood duck, eider ducks, auks, bitterns, little brown, sandhill, and whooping cranes, fulmars, gannets, grebes, guillemots, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, murres, petrels, puffins, shearwaters, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident: Game and fish, $10.50; fish, $3.25. Resident male citizen above age of 14: Game and fish, $1.65. Special license to hunt woodcock from October 1 to November 9, fee $2, required in addition to regular hunting license; issued by commission. When applied for by parent or legal guardian, in discretion of commission, license may be granted to citizen between ages 10 and 14 to hunt when accompanied by adult holder of a general license: Fee, $1; issued only by commission. All other licenses, except as indicated, issued by county, city, or town clerk, salaried warden, or registrar of licenses. Hunting on occupied posted lands of another prohibited.

Alien prohibited from hunting or owning shotgun or rifle unless he is the owner of real property in New Jersey to the value of $2,000 above all in-

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Hunting and fishing licenses—Continued
cumbrances, in which case he may obtain nonresident and alien's license.

Bag limits and possession: One deer a year; 2 English or ring-necked pheasant cocks a day, 30 a season; 6 rabbits, 6 squirrels, 10 quail, 3 ruffed grouse, 6 woodcock, 25 ducks, 8 geese, 8 brant, 25 snipe, 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs, 50 reedbirds, 50 sora, and 25 in all of other rails (marsh hens), coot, and gallinules a day or in possession. Deer may be possessed at any time if properly tagged to show where killed; possession of other game permitted during first 10 days of close season.

Interstate transportation: Export of all protected game (except deer) prohibited, except that a nonresident licensee, in one day may carry from State the daily bag limit of game, if open to view, but not more than two days' limit of game may be exported in one calendar week.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed at any time, except that migratory game birds may be possessed only during open season where taken and first 10 days of close season.

Sale: The sale of deer, squirrels, reedbirds, and all game birds is prohibited; rabbits may be sold during open season and 10 days thereafter; Belgian hares and jack rabbits legally killed and coming from another State may be sold at any time.

Miscellaneous: Unlawful to use shotgun or rifle holding more than 2 cartridges or that may be fired more than twice without reloading.

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[45] *New Jersey:* Wild deer may be taken only with shotgun not smaller than 12 gauge, which may not be loaded with a bullet or other missile larger than buckshot. Killing of a deer must be reported to commissioners or county warden within 48 hours. Landowner or his authorized agent may kill deer on his own cultivated land at any time; carcass of deer so killed is the property of the commission, and killing must be reported within 48 hours.

NEW MEXICO

Open seasons: [46]	*Dates inclusive*
Deer (with horns at least 6 inches in length) squirrel (tassel-eared gray), wild turkey	Nov. 20–Nov. 30.
Quail (except bobwhite)	Nov. 1–Dec. 31.
Turtle dove and white-winged dove, black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Sept. 1–Dec. 15.
Duck, goose, brant, Wilson snipe, coot, gallinule	Oct. 1–Jan. 15.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 1–Nov. 30.

No open season: Does, Sonoran deer, elk, sheep, goat, antelope, buffalo, bobwhite quail, pheasant, ptarmigan, prairie chicken, sage hen, grouse, swans, wood duck, bitterns, little brown, sandhill, and whooping cranes, grebes, gulls, herons, loons, band-tailed pigeons, terns, and all shorebirds (except Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident: Big game, bird, and fish, $35.25; big game and bird, $30.25; big game, $25.25; bird, $10.25; fish: General, $5; limited, $1.25. Resident: Big game, bird and fish, $2.50; big game and bird, $2.25; big game, $1.50; bird, $1.25; fish, $1; guide, $5.25; duplicate, $1. Issued by county clerks and deputies designated by State warden. Alien resident of New Mexico or an adjoining State not permitted to hunt or to own or possess shotgun or rifle in State.

Bag limits and possession: One deer, 3 wild turkeys, a season; 20 quail, 25 doves a day or in possession; 25 ducks, 8 geese, 8 brant, 25 Wilson snipe, 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs, 50 sora, and 25 in all of other rails, coot, and gallinules a day. Possession permitted during open season and first 5 days of close season. Under permit, game, except migratory birds, may be held in storage for first 90 days of close season; migratory birds may be so held for a period of 10 days.

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Interstate transportation: Export of all game taken in the State prohibited, except under permit; fee $1.25 for 1 deer and 3 turkeys, and $1.25 for bag limit of other birds and fish.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported when accompanied by permit or proof of lawful possession, may be possessed under permit secured from State game and fish warden during open season and first 90 days of close season, but migratory game birds may be possessed only during open season where taken and first 10 days of close season.

Sale: Sale of all protected game taken in the State prohibited.

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[46] *New Mexico:* Commission may close season in any locality on any species, and may prohibit all hunting, in periods of extreme forest fire danger, at such times and places as may be necessary.

NEW YORK

Open seasons: [47]	*Dates inclusive*
Deer (with horns not less than 3 inches long) in Adirondack region [48] (see exception)	Oct. 15–Nov. 15.
Exception: In towns of Jackson, Salem, and White Creek, Washington County	Nov. 7–Nov. 19.
Deer (with horns not less than 3 inches long) in Columbia, Delaware, Orange, Rensselaer, Sullivan, and Ulster Counties	Nov. 1–Nov. 15.
In Greene County	Nov. 1–Nov. 8.
On own land in Dutchess County [49]	Nov. 1–Nov. 15.
Bear	Oct. 15–Nov. 15.
Varying hare [47]	Oct. 15–Mar. 1.
Cottontail rabbit [47]	Oct. 1–Jan. 31.
Squirrel (black, gray,[47] or fox) (see exceptions)	Oct. 15–Nov. 15.[50]
Exceptions: In Schoharie County, Oct. 1–Nov. 1. In Erie, Niagara, Orleans, and Rockland Counties no open season.	
Grouse, partridge [47] (see exception)	Oct. 1–Nov. 15.
Exception: In Columbia, Delaware, Dutchess, Greene, Orange, Putnam, Rensselaer, Rockland, Sullivan, Ulster, and Westchester Counties	Oct. 15–Nov. 30.
Quail in Dutchess, Greene, Orange, Putnam, Rensselaer, Sullivan, and Westchester Counties only	Nov. 15–Nov. 30.
Pheasant, male only [47] (four days only)	Oct. 23 and 30; Nov. 1 and 8.
Waterfowl	Sept. 24–Jan. 7.
Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, coot, gallinule	Sept. 24–Dec. 31.
Black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Aug. 16–Nov. 30.
Woodcock	Oct. 1–Nov. 30.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 1–Nov. 30.

No open season: Elk, moose, caribou, antelope, fawns; Hungarian or European gray-legged partridge, dove, quail (1925); swans, wood duck, eider ducks, auks, bitterns, sandhill and whooping cranes, fulmars, gannet, grebes, guillemots, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, murres, petrels, puffins, shearwaters, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe, or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident: Game, $10.50; fish, $2.50. Fishing license not required of persons under 16 years of age or in international boundary waters if residents require no license in that part of those waters not within jurisdiction of State. Resident, $1.25. Issued by county, city, town, and village clerks. Indian resident or member of Six Nations residing on any reservation wholly or partly within State, $1.25. Only licensed Indians residing on a reservation may hunt thereon. Licensee required to wear button. Guide (required in forest reserve counties), $2,

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Hunting and fishing licenses—Continued
Issued by commissioner. Owners or lessees, and members of immediate families, actually occupying cultivated farm land may hunt thereon without license during open season. Alien not permitted to hunt except under special license from conservation commission, or to own or possess shotgun or rifle.

Bag limits: One deer, 1 bear, 3 male pheasants, a season; 3 grouse a day, 15 a season; 6 woodcock a day, 24 a season; 6 varying hares or rabbits, 5 squirrels, 25 ducks, 8 geese, 8 brant, 25 in all of rails, coots, mudhens, and gallinules, 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs, 25 Wilson snipe or jacksnipe a day.

Local bag limits: Quail, 4 a day, 10 a season, in Dutchess, Greene, Orange, Putnam, Rensselaer, Sullivan, and Westchester Counties.

Possession: Deer, squirrel, grouse, and pheasant during open season and 5 days thereafter; migratory game birds during open season and 10 days thereafter. Deer properly tagged may be possessed under $1 permit to February 1.

Interstate transportation: Export of game and birds prohibited, except that any person may export 1 deer, 1 bear, and one day's bag limit of other game in one day during open season by means other than parcel post. The taker may export in one day by common carrier, except parcel post, one day's limit when accompanied by permit which shall show contents of package. Head, hide, and feet of animals and plumage or skin of game birds legally taken may be exported at any time.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed at any time, except that migratory game birds may be possessed only during open season where taken and first 10 days of close season. Importation permit, fee $1, obtained from chief game protector, required to import game during close season, and then game birds must be accompanied by taker, while quadrupeds bearing New York importation tags may be shipped by common carrier, but not by parcel post.

Sale: Sale of all game, except varying hares and rabbits, prohibited; varying hares and rabbits legally taken in State may be sold during open season, and when brought from without the State may be sold at any time.

Head, hide, and feet of quadrupeds legally taken and possessed may be sold at any time.

Miscellaneous: Hunting prohibited on lands supplying any municipality with water or on public highways, except public highways within forest preserve counties.

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[47] *New York:* Commission by order may further restrict taking or possession of game. Open seasons on upland game have been restricted to the following periods or closed as indicated: *Squirrel (black, gray)*, in Genesee County, no open season. *Cottontail rabbit*, in Cattaraugus County, Oct. 1–Jan. 1; in Genesee County, Oct. 1–Dec. 31; in Orange County, Oct. 1–Jan. 15; in Richmond County, Nov. 15–Dec. 31; in Rockland County, Nov. 1–Dec. 31. *Varying hare*, in Cattaraugus County, Oct. 15–Jan. 1; in Onondaga County, Oct. 15–Jan. 31; in Genesee, Steuben, and Tompkins Counties, no open season.

[48] The Adirondack region comprises the counties of Clinton, Essex, Franklin, Fulton, Hamilton, Herkimer, Jefferson, Lewis, Oneida, Oswego, Saratoga, St. Lawrence, Warren, and Washington.

[49] In Dutchess County, deer may only be taken with shotgun loaded with slugs or shot not smaller than buckshot.

[50] In corporate limits of city or village may be taken only under permit of commission.

NEW YORK—Long Island

Open seasons:	*Dates inclusive*
Squirrel (black, gray, fox), quail, ruffed grouse, pheasant (male only)	Nov. 1–Dec. 31.
Varying hare	Oct. 15–Mar. 1.
Cottontail rabbit	Nov. 1–Dec. 31.

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Open seasons—Continued	*Dates inclusive*
Waterfowl, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, coot, mudhen, gallinule	Oct. 16–Jan. 31.
Black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Aug. 16–Nov. 30.
Woodcock	Oct. 1–Nov. 30.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 1–Nov. 30

No open season: Deer, dove, swans, wood duck, eider ducks, auks, bitterns, sandhill and whooping cranes, fulmars, gannet, grebes, guillemots, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, murres, petrels, puffins, shear-waters, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Bag limits and possession: Six quail a day, 40 a season; 2 ruffed grouse a day, 15 a season; 4 male pheasants a day, 30 a season. For other bag limits see New York.

Hunting licenses, interstate transportation, sale, miscellaneous: (See New York).

NORTH CAROLINA[51]

Open seasons:[51]	*Dates inclusive*
Duck, goose, brant, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, coot, gallinule	Nov. 1–Jan. 31.
Black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs, dove	Sept. 1–Dec. 15.
Woodcock	Nov. 1–Dec. 31.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 1–Nov. 30.
Reedbird (ricebird) (see Order, p. 35.)	Aug. 16–Nov. 15.

No open season: Swans, wood duck, auks, bitterns, gannet, grebes, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, murres, petrels, shearwaters, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting licenses:[51]

Bag limits and possession: Twenty-five doves, 25 ducks, 8 geese, 8 brant, 6 woodcock, 25 Wilson snipe, 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs, 50 sora and 25 in all of other rails, coots, and gallinules a day. Possession of migratory birds permitted during first 10 days of close season.

Sale: Sale of reedbirds (ricebirds) and all migratory birds prohibited.

Interstate transportation: The export is prohibited of quail, partridge, pheasant, grouse, wild turkey, snipe, shore or beach birds, woodcock, taken in State. *Exceptions:* Nonresident may take out of State under his hunting license 50 quail (partridges), 12 grouse, 2 turkeys, and 50 in all of Wilson snipe, plovers, and yellowlegs in a season, but not more than two days' limit of migratory birds may be exported in any one calendar week.

Migratory game birds taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed during open season where taken and first 10 days of close season, unless prohibited by local laws. The importation and possession of other game is regulated by local laws, obtainable upon application to Legislative Reference Librarian, Raleigh, N. C.

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[51] *North Carolina:* Only the Federal seasons and other restrictions on migratory birds are given. County seasons and provisions relating to licenses, bag limits, sale, and interstate transportation are too numerous to be included. Full information regarding laws applicable to counties under jurisdiction of Audubon Society may be had on application to the secretary, Audubon Society, Raleigh, N. C. The county laws should be consulted, as in some instances they prohibit the hunting of migratory game birds during part of the periods mentioned in the table. Robins, larks, and certain other migratory birds may not be killed at any time. (See Migratory Bird Treaty Act Regulations, footnote 2, p. 4.) The Legislative Reference Librarian also issues a pamphlet on the local laws of the State.

NORTH DAKOTA

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Prairie chicken (pinnated grouse), sharp-tailed (white-breasted) grouse, black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs, Wilson snipe	Sept. 16–Oct. 16.
Ruffed grouse in Bottineau, Cavalier, Pembina, and Roulette Counties only	Oct. 7–Oct. 16.
Duck, goose, brant	Sept. 16–Dec. 1.
Coot, gallinule	Sept. 16–Dec. 31.
Woodcock	Oct. 1–Oct. 16.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 1–Nov. 30.

No open season: Deer, elk, moose, antelope, quail, ruffed grouse (except as above), sagehen, English and Chinese ring-necked pheasants, Hungarian partridge, dove, swans, wood duck, bitterns, little brown, sandhill, and whooping cranes, grebes, gulls, herons, loons, shearwaters, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting licenses: Nonresident, $25; resident, $1.50. Issued by commissioners, deputy, or county auditor. Aliens not permitted to hunt. Person or member of family permanently residing with him may hunt without license during open season on own lands or lands cultivated by him. Resident license may be issued to settler. No person permitted to enter cultivated or posted lands without consent of owner.

Bag limits and possession: Five prairie chickens, sharp-tailed grouse, plovers, each or all combined a day, 10 each or all in possession at one time, 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs, but not more than 5 plovers a day; 5 ruffed grouse a day, 15 in possession; 15 snipe, woodcock, ducks, geese, each or all combined a day, but not more than 8 geese, 8 brant, or 6 woodcock, 30 in possession; 25 in all of rails, coots, and gallinules a day. Resident licensee under permit may retain not to exceed 20 pinnated or sharp-tailed grouse, 30 waterfowl, but not more than 50 birds in all during first 5 days of close season.

Interstate transportation: Export of all protected game prohibited, except that nonresident licensee may carry with him from State under license tag prairie chicken and sharp-tailed grouse not exceeding 20 in all, and ducks, geese, and brant not exceeding 30 in all, or a total or 50 of all birds combined, if open to view and labeled with his name and address and number of his license. Not more than 2 days' limit of migratory birds may be exported in any one calendar week.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed under storage permit, obtained from secretary, game and fish board, in like numbers and manner as game taken in State, except that migratory game birds may be possessed only during open season where taken and first 10 days of close season.

Sale: Sale of all protected game prohibited, except that hides, heads, and trophies of big game lawfully taken may be sold at any time.

OHIO

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Hare, rabbit	Nov. 15–Jan. 1.[52]
Squirrel	Sept. 15–Oct. 20.
Ruffed grouse, cock pheasant (introduced), Hungarian partridge	Nov. 15–Nov. 25.
Duck, goose, brant, Wilson snipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs, coot, gallinule	Sept. 16–Dec. 31.
Woodcock	Oct. 1–Nov. 30.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Nov. 1–Nov. 30.

No open season: Deer, quail, dove, swans, wood duck, eider ducks, bitterns, sandhill and whooping cranes, grebes, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons,

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murres, petrels, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident citizen: General, $15.25; fish, $2.25 (not required of children under 16 years of age). Resident citizen, $1.25. Issued by county and township clerks. Person under 16 when hunting must be accompanied by adult. Owners, tenants, or their children may hunt without license during open season on own or leased lands. Written permission required on land of another.

Bag limits and possession: Five squirrels and 10 rabbits a day or in possession; 3 ruffed grouse, 3 cock pheasants, and 6 Hungarian partridge, 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs, 15 Wilson snipe, 6 woodcock, 8 geese, 25 ducks, 35 sora, and 25 in all of other rails, coots, and gallinules a day. Waterfowl, coots, and gallinules may be possessed during first 10 days of close season.

Interstate transportation: Export prohibited of all protected game (except rabbit) taken in State; provided, a nonresident may take with him from State under his hunting license 25 pieces of game. But not more than two days' limit of migratory birds may be exported by one person in any one calendar week. Packages containing game or fur-bearing animals or parts thereof must be marked to show contents, initial point of billing, and names and addresses of consignor and consignee.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

Sale: Sale prohibited of all protected game (except hare or rabbit during open season).

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[52] *Ohio:* Landowners, tenants, and employees may take hares or rabbits, when doing substantial damage to crops, trees, or shrubbery, at any time except on Sunday.

OKLAHOMA

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Bear	No open season.[53]
Quail	Dec. 1–Dec. 31.
Duck, goose, brant, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, coot, gallinule	Oct. 1–Jan. 15.
Black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs, dove	Sept. 1–Dec. 15.
Woodcock	Nov. 1–Dec. 31.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 1–Nov. 30.

No open season: Deer, wild turkey (1931); antelope, prairie chicken, imported pheasant, swans, wood duck, bitterns, little brown, sandhill and whooping cranes, grebes, gulls, herons, loons, band-tailed pigeons, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting licenses: Nonresident, $15; alien, $25; resident citizen, $1.25. Issued by warden, deputy, or county clerk. A person may hunt without license during open season on own or leased premises actually occupied by him. Application of person under 14 must be approved in writing by parent or guardian. Unlawful to shoot on or across highway or railroad right of way. Unlawful to hunt on lands of another without owner's permission.

Bag limits and possession: Fifteen quail, plover, snipe, or ducks a day, 100 a season; 15 yellowlegs, but not more than 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs a day; 8 geese, 8 brant a day, but not more than 10 in all a day; 50 sora and 25 in all of other rails, coots, and gallinules, 25 doves, and 6 woodcock a day. Possession of game permitted during first 10 days of close season, and trophies or specimens of game lawfully taken may be possessed at any time.

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Interstate transportation: Export prohibited of all protected game, but nonresident licensee may carry to his home two days' bag limit of game birds if license permit is attached.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

Sale: Sale prohibited of all protected game.

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[53] *Oklahoma:* Bear in Blaine, Caddo, Comanche, Kiowa, and Major Counties, no open season; in rest of State, unprotected.

OREGON [54]

Open seasons:	*Dates inclusive*
District No. 1,[55] *west of Cascades:*	
Deer (male, with horns)	Sept. 10–Oct. 31.
Silver-gray squirrel	Sept. 15–Oct. 15.
Mountain or plumed and California or Valley quail in Coos, Curry, Douglas, and Josephine Counties only	Oct. 12–Oct. 26.
In Jackson County	Oct. 12–Nov. 9.
Chinese pheasant, bobwhite quail (see exception)	Oct. 12–Oct. 26.
Exception: In Clatsop, Coos, Curry, Josephine, Lincoln, and Tillamook Counties	No open season.
Blue or sooty grouse, ruffed grouse or native pheasant (see exception)	Sept. 10–Oct. 31.
Exception: In Benton, Clackamas, Lane, Linn, Marion, Multnomah, Polk, Washington, and Yamhill Counties	No open season.
Duck, goose, brant, coot, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Oct. 1–Jan. 15.
Rail, other than coot	Oct. 1–Nov. 30.
District No. 2,[55] *east of Cascades:*	
Deer (male, with horns)	Sept. 10–Oct. 31.
Quail in Klamath County, Oct. 12–26; and in Wasco County, Oct. 12–19; in balance of district, no open season.	
Blue or sooty grouse, ruffed grouse or native pheasant	Sept. 10–Oct. 31.
Sage hen	Aug. 1–Aug. 15.
Chinese pheasant in Baker, Grant, Hood River, Malheur, Umatilla, Union, Wallowa, and Wasco Counties only	Oct. 12–Oct. 19.
Hungarian partridge in Umatilla County only	Oct. 12–Oct. 19.
Duck, goose,[56] brant, coot, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Sept. 16–Dec. 31.
Rail, other than coot	Sept. 16–Nov. 30.

No open season: Doe and spotted fawn, moose, elk, antelope, sheep, goat, Hungarian partridge, bobwhite, Franklin grouse, foolhen, wild turkey, silver-gray squirrel, quail and introduced pheasants (except as above), prairie chicken, dove; band-tailed pigeons, swans, wood duck, auklets, auks, bitterns, little brown and sandhill cranes, fulmars, grebes, guillemots, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, murres, petrels, puffins, shearwaters, terns, and all shorebirds (except Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident: Game, $10; alien, gun license, $25 (in addition to hunting and angling license). Resident, game and fish, $5; game, $3; hunting or angling, $1.50 (county license issued to residents between 14 and 18 years of age). Angling, resident or nonresident,[57] $3 (not required of female). Licenses issued by county clerks and duly appointed agents throughout the State. Guide, $3 (issued only to citizen of United States); issued by commission. Licenses not issued to persons under 14 years of age. Owner and member of his family may hunt, trap, or fish on own premises without license during open season. Licenses, good for life, issued free of charge by county clerks to pioneers of State who arrived prior to 1860, veterans of Indian and Civil Wars upon proof of service, and Spanish-American War veterans resident in State Soldiers' Home. Unlawful to hunt on inclosed or occupied land of another without permission of owner. Unlawful to shoot from highways or railroad right of ways.

Bag limits and possession: Two deer a season; 5 silver-gray squirrels and 10 quail in 7 consecutive days; 5 sage hens a day, 10 in 7 consecutive days; 5 in all of ruffed grouse, pheasants, and sooty or blue grouse a day, 10 in 7 consecutive days; 5 Chinese pheasants (including Hungarian partridge in Umatilla County) a day, 10 in 7 consecutive days, but in district 1 a bag of 10 shall not include more than 3 hens and in district 2 more than 2 hens; 25 ducks, 25 Wilson snipe, 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs, 25 in all of rails, coots, and gallinules a day, but not more than 25 in all in 1 day nor more than 30 in all in 7 consecutive days; 8 geese a day, 30 in 7 consecutive days. Migratory game birds properly tagged may be possessed during first 10 days of close season; other game, when properly tagged, during close season

Interstate transportation: Export of all protected game prohibited, except when tagged with metal seal and accompanied by permit from State warden showing kind of game and names and addresses of consignor and consignee.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be imported and possessed as authorized by permit, fee $2, and tag, fee 5 cents, obtained from State game warden, except that migratory game birds may be possessed only during open season where taken and first 10 days of close season.

Sale: Sale of all protected game prohibited. Commission may make regulations permitting sale of game, except migratory birds.

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[54] *Oregon:* Commission may open or close the season on any species of game in any county or district for such time as it may designate.

[55] District No. 1, west of Cascades, includes Benton, Clackamas, Clatsop, Columbia, Coos, Curry, Douglas, Jackson, Josephine, Lane, Lincoln, Linn, Marion, Multnomah, Polk, Tillamook, Washington, and Yamhill Counties. District No. 2, east of Cascades, includes all other counties in the State.

[56] Unlawful to kill geese at any time on islands or sand bars in the Columbia east of Hood River, on Deschutes and John Day Rivers south to junction with White River and Thirtymile Creek, respectively.

[57] Fee required of nonresident angler equal to that required of nonresident in his State of residence.

PENNSYLVANIA

Open seasons: [58]	*Dates inclusive*
Deer (male with horns having 2 or more points to one antler not less than 6 inches above the skull), bull elk (with 4 or more points to one antler)	Dec. 1–Dec. 15.[59]
Bear	Nov. 1–Dec. 15.[60]
Raccoon	Oct. 1–Feb. 15.
Hare, rabbit	Nov. 1–Dec. 15.
Squirrels (black, gray, fox), quail, ruffed grouse, male ring-necked pheasant, Hungarian partridge or quail, wild turkey	Nov. 1–Nov. 30.
Red or pine squirrel	Nov. 1–Aug. 15.
Duck, goose, brant	Oct. 1–Jan. 15.
Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, coot (mud hen), gallinule	Oct. 1–Nov. 30.

PENNSYLVANIA—Continued

Open seasons—Continued	*Dates inclusive*
Black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Sept. 16–Nov. 30.
Woodcock	Oct. 1–Nov. 30.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 1–Nov. 30.
Reedbird (see Order, p. 35)	Sept. 1–Oct. 30.
Blackbird	Aug. 1–Nov. 30.

No open season: Cow elk and calves having less than 4 points to one antler, doe, fawn, pheasant hens, dove, swans, wood duck, eider ducks, auks, bitterns, little brown and sandhill cranes, grebes, guillemots, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, murres, petrels, puffins, shearwaters, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses: *Game:* Nonresident, $15. Issued by commission or county treasurer. Resident from county treasurer, $1.25; through justice of the peace, magistrate, or notary public, $1.40. Licenses not issued to minor under 14 years of age, and minor between 14 and 16 must furnish written consent of parent or guardian. Licensee required to wear tag displayed on middle of back.

Resident citizen and members of family or employees residing upon and cultivating land in State as either owner or lessee may hunt during open season on such land and, with consent of owner, on adjoining land without a license. Taxidermist, $1.

Licensed hunters, within 30 days after expiration of license, must report amount of game killed.

Aliens not permitted to hunt or be possessed of dogs or firearms.

Fishing: Nonresident, $5 (10 cents extra to county treasurer, 15 cents extra to justice of peace); issued by county treasurer, justice of the peace, commissioner of fisheries or his agents.

Resident, $1 (10 cents extra to county treasurer); issued by county treasurer, commissioner of fisheries, his officers or agents. License not required of minors under 21. Person and members of his family residing on own land may angle in waters on or adjacent thereto during open season without license.

Bag limits and possession: One deer (6 to party camping or hunting together), 1 elk (1 to hunting party), 1 bear (4 to hunting party), 40 rabbits, 15 hares, 20 squirrels, 1 turkey, 25 quail (partridge), 15 ruffed grouse, 6 male ring-necked pheasants, 20 woodcock a season. Five rabbits, 3 hares, 6 squirrels (black, gray, fox), 8 quail (partridge), 3 ruffed grouse, 2 male ring-necked pheasants, 6 woodcock, 25 ducks, 8 geese, 8 brant, 25 Wilson snipe, 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs, 50 sora, 25 in all of other rails, coots, and gallinules a day. Possession of migratory birds permitted during first 10 days of close season; other game during first 30 days thereof.

Interstate transportation: Export of all protected game taken in State prohibited; provided, a nonresident licensee may take out with him on the same conveyance two days' limit of game except elk. Small game must be accompanied by owner, and if concealed must be tagged to show name and address of owner, county where killed, and number of each species in package. Large game may be shipped by express when plainly marked to show name and address of owner and county in which killed. Specimens of game legally taken may be shipped to a licensed taxidermist for mounting, but shipment of game by parcel post prohibited, except that skins of raccoon, bear, and trophies to licensed taxidermists may be so shipped, if marked to show contents, but no such shipments may be made to points outside the State without a permit.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed at any time, except that migratory game birds may be possessed only during open season where taken and first 10 days of close season.

Sale: Sale prohibited of wild deer, rabbit, raccoon, and bear taken in the State; and of all other game wherever taken. Trophies of game not killed in State may be purchased or sold at any time.

Miscellaneous: Automatic gun prohibited.

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[58] *Pennsylvania:* Seasons may be closed or shortened in any county on petition to commission.

[59] In killing deer, elk, or bear, only one all-lead, lead-alloy, soft-nosed, or expanding bullet may be used at each discharge. The use of steel-jacketed bullets is prohibited.

RHODE ISLAND

Open seasons:	*Dates inclusive*
Gray squirrel, hare, rabbit, quail or bobwhite, ruffed grouse or partridge, pheasant	Nov. 1–Dec. 31.
Duck, goose, brant, coot, gallinule	Oct. 1–Jan. 15.
Black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Aug. 16–Nov. 30.
Wilson snipe	Oct. 1–Nov. 30.
Woodcock	Nov. 1–Nov. 30.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 1–Nov. 30.

No open season: Deer;[60] dove; Hungarian partridge; swans, wood duck, eider ducks, auks, bitterns, little brown and sandhill cranes, gannet, grebes, guillemots, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, murres, petrels, shearwaters, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident: Game: $10.25; fish, $1.15.[61] Alien: Game, $15.25; fish, $2.15. Resident: Game, $1.25; fish, 25 cents. Issued by city and town clerks. Fishing license not required of women, nor of males under 18. License not required of resident or his immediate family to hunt on own or leased agricultural lands on which actually domiciled; nonresident owning real estate valued at not less than $500, and nonresident member or guest of club incorporated for hunting or fishing purposes prior to Jan. 1, 1909, which owns real estate assessed for taxation at value of not less than $1,000, may procure license at a fee of $1.25; licenses not issued to minors under 15 years of age. Consent of owner required for hunting upland game birds on land of another from January 1 to October 31.

Bag limits and possession: Fifteen ducks, 8 geese, 8 brant, 6 woodcock, 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs, 15 Wilson snipe, 15 in all of rails, coots, and gallinules a day, but not more than 15 game birds of all kinds in possession at one time. Possession of waterfowl, coots, and gallinules permitted during first 10 days of close season.

Interstate transportation: Export prohibited of all game; provided, a nonresident licensee may take out under his license 10 wild fowl or birds in one calendar year, if carried open to view.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be imported and possessed as authorized by permit from commissioner of birds, except that migratory game birds may be possessed only during open season where taken and first 10 days of close season.

Sale: Sale of all game birds prohibited.

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[60] *Rhode Island:* Deer injuring crops may be killed at any time by the owner or occupant of the premises under written permit from secretary of State.

[61] Fee required of nonresident angler equal to that required of nonresident in his State of residence.

SOUTH CAROLINA

Open seasons:	*Dates inclusive*
Deer (male)	Sept. 1–Jan. 15.
Bear, rabbit,[62] squirrel,[62] quail (partridge), wild turkey, blackbird	Nov. 27–Mar. 1.[63]
Raccoon, opossum	Sept. 1–Mar. 1.

SOUTH CAROLINA—Continued

Open seasons—Continued *Dates inclusive*

Duck, goose, brant, coot, gallinule, Wilson snipe, dove..... Nov. 1–Jan. 31.
Black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs..... Sept. 1–Dec. 15.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule..... Sept. 1–Nov. 30.
Woodcock..... Nov. 1–Dec. 31.
Reedbird (see Order, p. 35)... Aug. 16–Nov. 15.

No open season: Does; ruffed grouse (pheasant), swans, wood duck, auks, bitterns, little brown, sandhill, and whooping cranes, gannet, grebes, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, murres, petrels, shearwaters, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident: Game, $15.25; fish, $3.25. Issued by county clerk or game warden. Resident: Game, State, $3.10; county of residence, $1.10. Issued by county clerk or game warden.

No license required of resident owners, tenants, their children, or, under written permission, their employees, to hunt during open season on own lands. Confederate veteran wearing his cross of honor may hunt and fish in any county of State without license.

Consent of owner or manager required to hunt on land of another.

Bag limits and possession: Three deer, 20 wild turkeys a season; 15 squirrels, 15 quail (partridge), 2 turkeys, 25 doves, 25 ducks, 8 geese, 8 brant, 6 woodcock, 25 Wilson snipe, 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs, 50 sora, and 25 in all of other rails, coots, and gallinules a day. Possession of migratory birds permitted during first 10 days of close season.

Interstate transportation: Export of all resident nonmigratory game taken in State prohibited, except that a landowner or licensee may export under shipping tag from State warden one day's bag limit of resident nonmigratory game a week, if not for sale. Unlawful for any transportation company to receive for shipment out of the State any deer or other resident nonmigratory game unless duly tagged. Under Federal regulations not more than 2 days' limit of migratory birds may be taken or shipped out of the State in any one calendar week. All packages containing migratory birds must be marked to show actual contents and names and addresses of consignor and consignee. No game may be removed from the State for sale.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

Sale: Sale prohibited of deer, quail (partridges), dove, turkey, reedbirds, and all other migratory birds.

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[63] *South Carolina:* Between September 1 and Thanksgiving Day rabbits may be hunted without firearms, and squirrels may be hunted without dogs.
[64] Season opens on Thanksgiving Day.

SOUTH DAKOTA

Open seasons: *Dates inclusive*

Deer (male)..... Nov. 1–Nov. 30.
Partridge, grouse, prairie chicken, black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs.. Sept. 16–Oct. 15.
Duck, goose, brant, coot, gallinule, Wilson snipe..... Sept. 16–Dec. 31.
Woodcock..... Oct. 1–Nov. 30.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule..... Sept. 16–Nov. 30.

No open season: Does, elk, antelope, mountain sheep, quail, dove, pheasant, upland plover, swans, wood duck, eider ducks, bitterns, little brown, sandhill, and whooping cranes, grebes, gulls, herons, loons, shearwaters, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

SOUTH DAKOTA—Continued

Hunting licenses: Nonresident or alien: Big game, $25; small game, $15. Issued by game warden or county treasurer. Resident: Big game, $5; small game, $1; issued by county treasurer or State warden; special license, small game, $3 (hunting; also authorizes shipment of 50 birds as specified in license); issued by State warden. Hunting game birds during open season on own land permitted without license. Unlawful to hunt on cultivated land of another without permission of owner.

Bag limits and possession: One deer a year; 25 ducks, geese, brant, coot, gallinules, sora, and other rails in the aggregate of all kinds (but not more than 8 geese or brant), and 5 each of other species of game birds a day; 50 in all of ducks, geese, or brant, or other aquatic fowl and snipe, and 15 in all of prairie chickens, partridge, grouse, and plover in possession. Possession permitted during open season and five days thereafter.

Interstate transportation: Export of all protected game prohibited; provided a nonresident may export 1 deer lawfully killed under permit of State game warden and not more than 10 birds under each of the five coupons attached to his nonresident license; but not more than 50 ducks, 16 geese, 16 brant, 12 woodcock, 50 snipe, 30 in all of plovers and yellowlegs, and 50 in all of rails, coots, and gallinules may be exported by one person in any one calendar week, and if exported by common carrier tags attached to hunting license must be affixed to each shipment.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

Sale: Sale of all protected game prohibited; provided, skins, heads, and antlers of deer lawfully killed may be sold.

TENNESSEE

Open seasons: *Dates inclusive*

Deer (male, with horns having two or more spikes each)..... Dec. 20–Dec. 31.
Squirrel..... June 1–Jan. 1.
Rabbit..... Unprotected.
Quail or partridge (see exceptions)..... Nov. 25–Jan. 15.
Exceptions: Quail, in Chester County, Nov. 20–Feb. 15; in Fayette and Hardeman Counties, Nov. 22–Mar. 1; in Madison County, Dec. 1–Feb. 1.
Duck, goose, brant, coot, mudhen, gallinule, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe..... Nov. 1–Jan. 31.
Black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs, dove..... Sept. 1–Dec. 15.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule..... Sept. 1–Nov 30.

No open season: Does and fawns (1925); wild turkey (1928); grouse, ring-necked and Mongolian pheasants, woodcock, swans, wood duck, bitterns sandhill and whooping cranes, grebes, gulls, herons, loons, terns, and all shorebirds (except Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting licenses: Nonresident, $15 (may hunt on own land without license). Resident, State, $2 (resident must hold State license to hunt on Reelfoot Lake); county $1 (county licensee may obtain State license for $1). Issued by county clerks. Licensee required to wear license tag displayed in center of back of outer garment

Owners and tenants may hunt without license on land on which they reside. Unlawful to hunt on tillable or inclosed lands of another without permission.

Reelfoot Lake.—Nonresident, fish, $2. Guide or pusher, $1 (issued to residents only).

Bag limits and possession: Two deer a season; 20 game birds or animals a day, but not more than 8 geese, 8 brant, 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs a day; in Washington County, 15 quail a day.

TENNESSEE—Continued

Interstate transportation: Export of all protected game prohibited; provided, nonresident licensee may take out of State, if carried openly, game birds legally killed by him (except that 25 birds only may be exported from Reelfoot Lake), but not more than 50 ducks, 16 geese, 16 brant, 10 Wilson snipe, 30 in all of plovers and yellowlegs, 50 in all of rails, coots, and gallinules, and 50 doves may be exported by one person in any one calendar week.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

Sale: Sale of all protected game killed in State prohibited.

TEXAS

Open seasons:	*Dates inclusive*
Deer (male) (see exception)	Nov. 1–Dec. 31.
Exception: In Bosque County, no open season.	
Squirrel in Angelina, Cherokee, Dallas, Hardin, Jasper, Jefferson, Liberty, Nacogdoches, Newton, Orange, Rockwall, and Tyler Counties	Aug. 1–Dec. 31.
In rest of State	Unprotected.
Quail or partridge, chachalaca or Mexican pheasant (see exceptions)	Dec. 1–Jan. 31.
Exceptions: Quail in Fayette County	Dec. 1–Dec. 31.
Quail in Grayson County and blue quail in Lampass County, no open season.	
Prairie chicken in Gray, Hemphill, Lipscomb, and Wheeler Counties only	Sept. 1–Sept. 10.
Wild turkey gobblers (see exceptions)	Nov. 1–Dec. 31.
Exceptions: In Angelina, Cherokee, Dallas, Gillespie, Hardin, Jasper, Jefferson, Kendall, Liberty, Nacogdoches, Newton, Orange, Rockwall, and Tyler Counties	Mar. 1–Apr. 30.
In Brooks, Cameron, Hidalgo, Jim Hogg, Kenedy, McMullen, Starr, and Willacy Counties	Nov. 1, 1926.
Dove (see exception)	Nov. 1–Dec. 31.[64]
Exception: West and north of International & Great Northern and Texas & Pacific Railroads (except Fayette County, Dec. 1–Dec. 15)	Sept. 1–Dec. 15.
Duck, goose, brant, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, coot, gallinule (see exception)	Nov. 1–Jan. 31.[64]
Exception: West and north of International & Great Northern and Texas & Pacific Railroads	Oct. 1–Jan. 15.
Black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Oct. 16–Dec. 15.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Oct. 16–Nov. 30.

No open season: Does; antelope, sheep (1928); turkey hens, robins, prairie chicken, pinnated grouse, pheasant (except chachalaca), woodcock (1928); swans, wood duck, bitterns, little brown sandhill, and whooping cranes, gannet, grebes, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, petrels, band-tailed pigeons, terns, and all shorebirds (except Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting licenses: Nonresident or alien, $15; issued by game, fish, and oyster commissioner, deputies, and county clerks. Resident, $2, not required in county of residence; issued by commissioner, deputies, and county clerks.

Bag limits and possession: Three deer a season; 3 turkey gobblers a season, except that only 2 may be taken in Angelina, Cherokee, Dallas, Hardin Jasper, Jefferson, Liberty, Nacogdoches, Newton, Orange, Rockwall, and Tyler Counties; 5 squirrels a day; 15 in all of quail and chachalaca; 5 prairie chickens a day, 15 a season; 15 doves, 25 in all of waterfowl and shorebirds, but not more than 8 geese, 8 brant, or 15 plovers and yellowlegs; 50 sora and 25 in all of other rails, coots, and gallinules a day. Possession of all game permitted during open season and 10 days thereafter.

Interstate transportation: Export prohibited of all game, except that nonresident licensee may ship game to his home for own use under affidavit that it was lawfully killed and will not be bartered or sold; provided that not more than two days' limit of migratory birds may be exported in any one calendar week. Game may be shipped to taxidermist for mounting under affidavit that shipper killed the speciman and that it is not being preserved for sale.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

Sale: Sale prohibited of all protected game.

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[64] *Texas:* See Regulation 4 of Migratory Bird Treaty Act Regulations, footnote 2, p. 4.

UTAH

Open seasons:[65]	*Dates inclusive*
Deer (buck, with horns not less than 5 inches long)[66]	Oct. 20–Oct. 30.
Bear	Sept. 1–May 1.[67]
Rabbit, hare	Unprotected.
Duck, goose, brant, coot, gallinule, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs (see exceptions)	Oct. 1–Dec. 31.
Exceptions: In Beaver, Emery, Grand, Iron, Kane, Millard, San Juan, Uinta, and Washington Counties	Oct. 1–Jan. 15.
Duck in Fish Lake Game Preserve	Oct. 1–Nov. 30.

No open season: Does, fawns, elk,[68] antelope, sheep, goats, quail, any species of grouse or sage hens, Hungarian partridge, mourning dove,[69] swans, wood duck, rail, bitterns, sandhill crane, grebes, gulls, herons, loons, band-tailed pigeons, terns, and all shorebirds (except Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident citizen: Game birds and fish, $5; deer and bear, $10; fish, $3. Resident citizen (male): Game and fish, 12 to 16 years, $1; 16 and over, $2; females, 16 and over, $1; guide $5. Aliens prohibited from hunting or fishing in State. Resident citizens, males under 12 and females under 16, not required to obtain licenses to fish. Issued by State fish and game commissioner or deputy, county clerk, or deputy or authorized agent.

Bag limits and possession: One buck a season; 25 ducks, geese, and brant a day, but not including more than 8 geese or brant; 15 Wilson snipe, 15 plovers and yellowlegs a day. Not more than 25 game birds in all may be taken in one day, and not more than 50 may be possessed at one time.

Interstate transportation: Export of all game prohibited, except under permit and regulations of commissioner.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed at any time, except that migratory game birds may be possessed only during open season where taken and first 10 days of close season. Person possessing game during close season in State must show lawful taking.

UTAH—Continued

Sale: Sale of all game prohibited; except that rabbit, bear, and hides of deer legally killed may be sold.

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[65] *Utah:* Commissioner may shorten or close the open season and reduce the bag limit on any species of game birds or animals needing additional protection.

[66] Person under 16 years of age not permitted to kill deer.

[67] Bear destroying livestock may be killed at any time by stock owners or Government trappers.

[68] Elk doing damage may be killed under authority of commissioner.

[69] Commissioner, upon determining that quail, any species of grouse or sage hens, Hungarian partridges, or mourning doves have increased sufficiently, may prescribe an open season and fix bag limits on any such birds.

VERMONT

Open seasons:	*Dates inclusive*
Deer (with horns not less than 3 inches long) [70]	Nov. 3–Nov. 15.
Hare, rabbit	Oct. 1–Feb. 28.
Gray squirrel, ruffed grouse or partridge, woodcock	Oct. 1–Oct. 31.
Quail	Sept. 15–Nov. 30.
Duck, goose, brant, coot, gallinule	Sept. 16–Dec. 31.
Black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs, English or Wilson snipe (jacksnipe)	Sept. 16–Nov. 30.

No open season: Elk, moose, caribou (1932); does, fawns, dove, rail; pheasants, European partridge (1932); swans, wood duck, auks, bitterns, sandhill and whooping cranes, grebes, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, murres, petrels, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident: Game and fish, $10.50; owner of real estate in State to the value of $1,000, $1.25; fish, $2.50. Resident: Game and fish, $1.25; game, 75 cents; fish, 75 cents. Issued by town clerks.

Hunting licenses not issued to persons under 16 without written consent of parent or guardian. Owners of farm lands and their resident minor children or tenants may hunt without a license on own lands during open season. Fishing licenses not required of persons under 15.

Bag limits and possession: One deer a season; 4 each of ruffed grouse and woodcock a day, 25 each a season; 5 hares or rabbits a day or in possession; 4 gray squirrels, 4 quail, 20 ducks, 8 geese, 8 brant a day; 10 in all of plovers, yellowlegs, and Wilson snipe a day; 25 in all of coots and gallinules a day.

Possession of waterfowl, coots, and gallinules permitted during first 10 days of close season.

Interstate transportation: Export prohibited of all protected game, except hares and rabbits; provided, a nonresident licensee may export one deer under license coupon and one day's bag limit of game birds under permit, but must accompany shipment; resident may export (if not for sale) one day's bag limit of game birds under special permit from commissioner and one deer a season for sale, if it is tagged and license is presented to carrier for cancelation, but laws of State to which deer is shipped must be complied with. Packages containing game delivered to a common carrier for transportation must be tagged to show the number and kind of such game therein, names of consignor and consignee, station from which shipped, destination, and number of license. The license of the shipper must be presented to the agent of the transportation company for indorsement thereon of the quantity of game offered for transportation. Head, hides, feet, and fur of quadrupeds and plumage and skins of game birds legally killed and possessed, may be transported without tags, if accompanied by owner.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed as authorized by permit obtained from fish and game commissioner, except that migratory game birds may be possessed only during open season where taken and first 10 days of close season.

Sale: Sale of squirrels and all protected game birds prohibited; deer may be sold during open season and for a "reasonable time thereafter," and hares and rabbits during the open season. Head and hide of deer legally taken may be sold.

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[70] *Vermont:* Landowner, member of his family, or authorized employee may kill deer doing damage to his fruit trees or crops; but the person under whose direction a deer is so killed must, within 12 hours, report the matter in a signed statement to the nearest fish and game warden. Deer may also be killed at any time in orchard zones established by the commissioner, but such killing must forthwith be reported to the owner of the orchard and the county warden.

VIRGINIA

Open seasons: [71]	*Dates inclusive*
Deer (male, with horns visible above the hair)	Nov. 15–Dec. 31.
Elk (see exception)	Dec. 15–Dec. 31.[72]
Exception: In national forest areas	No open season.
Squirrel [73]	Sept. 1–Jan. 31.
Rabbit, quail or partridge, pheasant or grouse, wild turkey	Nov. 15–Jan. 31.
Ring-necked pheasant in Shenandoah County	Nov. 15–Nov. 25.
Dove	Sept. 1–Dec. 15.
Duck, goose, brant, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, coot, mudhen, gallinule	Nov. 1–Jan. 31.[74]
Black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Aug. 16–Nov. 30.
Woodcock	Nov. 1–Dec. 31.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 1–Nov. 30.
Reedbird (see Order, p. 35)	Aug. 16–Nov. 15.

No open season: Does, fawns, swans, wood duck, eider ducks, auks, bitterns, sandhill crane, fulmars, gannet, grebes, gulls, herons, loons, murres, petrels, shearwaters, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident:[75] Game, $10; angling, $2.50 (not required in tidal waters, or of guest of resident), Alien: Game, $20 (alien owner of real estate resident for five years, same as resident). Resident: Game, State, $3, county of residence, $1. Issued by clerks of circuit and corporation courts.

Residents and nonresidents and their children may hunt on own land during open season without license; tenant, under written consent of owner or landlord, may hunt (during open season without license) on lands on which he resides.

Bag limits and possession: One elk a season; 1 deer a day, 2 a season; 2 turkeys a day, 6 a season; 4 grouse a day, 20 a season; 15 quail a day, 150 a season; 25 doves a day, 250 a season; 6 woodcock a day, 25 a season; 25 ducks a day, 350 a season; 8 geese a day, 50 a season; 8 brant a day, 30 a season, but not more than 35 in all of ducks, geese, and brant a day on Back Bay, Princess Anne County; 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs a day, 200 a season; 25 Wilson snipe a day, 250 a season; 50 sora a day, 500 a season, and 25 in all of other rails, coots, and gallinules a day, 250 a season. Possession of migratory game birds permitted during open season and 10 days thereafter, and of other game during the open season and 5 days thereafter.

Interstate transportation: Export of all protected game (except rabbits and squirrels) prohibited; provided, during the open season any licensee may, under his hunting license, take with him out of State, or as baggage on the same conveyance, 1 deer, 50 quail or partridges, 10 pheasants or grouse, 3 wild turkeys, 50 waterfowl, but not exceeding 100 in all, if killed or captured by himself, shipped open to view, and plainly labeled with his name and address; but more than 2 days'

VIRGINIA—Continued

Interstate transportation—Continued
limit of geese and brant may not be exported by one person in one calendar week. Any citizen of State may ship from State during open season as a gift and not for sale (which fact must be stated on shipping tag), 1 deer, 18 quail or partridges, 6 pheasants, 3 wild turkeys, and 12 waterfowl, if open to view and plainly labeled with names and addresses of donor and donee and number and kind of each so shipped.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

Sale: Sale of all game prohibited, except of rabbits and squirrels during open season.

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[71] *Virginia:* The Board of Supervisors of any county, upon written petition of 100 licensed resident hunters or landowners thereof, may shorten the current open season in their county, by providing an earlier closing date, make other restrictions not repugnant to law, and may include in such protection game not specifically mentioned. Also in extreme emergency, such as unusually heavy and continued snows or extraordinary severe weather threatening the extinction of game birds or game animals, the board may terminate by order the current hunting season which order shall take effect 10 days after publication in a newspaper published in the county affected. Certified copies of all orders of boards of supervisors affecting hunting seasons must be mailed to the department of game and inland fisheries, Richmond, Va. (Code Section 3356, as amended in 1924.) For information concerning such changes communicate with board of supervisors, county clerks, or department of game and inland fisheries.

[72] Elk doing damage to private property may be killed at any time under permit of commissioner of game and inland fisheries.

[73] Residents of the State may kill rabbits and squirrels on their own lands at any time.

[74] Wild fowl may not be hunted on Wednesdays, Saturdays, and Sundays on Back Bay, Princess Anne County.

[75] Residents of States having larger nonresident hunting license fee must pay fee charged in own State.

WASHINGTON

Open seasons: [76]	*Dates inclusive*
West of Cascades—	
Deer, bear, and upland game birds, open seasons fixed by county game commissions.[76]	
Duck, goose, brant, coot, black-bellied and golden plovers, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, yellowlegs	Oct. 1–Jan. 15.
Rail, other than coot	Oct. 1–Nov. 30.
East of Cascades—	
Deer, bear, and upland game birds, open seasons fixed by county game commissions.[76]	
Duck, goose, brant, coot, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs (see exception)	Sept. 16–Dec. 31.[77]
Exception: In Asotin, Benton, Chelan, Columbia, Garfield, Kittitas, Walla Walla, and Yakima Counties	Oct. 1–Dec. 31.
Rail, other than coot (see exception)	Sept. 16–Nov. 30.
Exception: In Asotin, Benton, Chelan, Columbia, Garfield, Kittitas, Walla Walla, and Yakima Counties.	Oct. 1–Nov. 30.

No open season: [76] Moose, elk (1925); does (east of Cascades and in Clallam, Skagit, Snohomish, and Whatcom Counties), fawns, caribou, mountain sheep, mountain goat, squirrels (gray, black, fox), and dove; swans, wood duck, elder ducks, auklets, auks, bitterns, little brown and sandhill cranes, fulmars, grebes, guillemots, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, murres, petrels, band-tailed pigeons, puffins, shearwaters, terns, and all shorebirds (except Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident or alien: Hunting and fishing, State, $10; fishing, county, $2.50. Resident: State, $7.50; county, $1.50; guide, $10. Issued by county auditors.

Aliens must have permit to carry firearms.

Fishing license not required of women and persons under 16, if residents.

Bag limits and possession: For bag limits on deer, bear, and upland game birds, communicate with county game commission at county seat, or supervisor of game and game fish, Box 384, Seattle. Twenty ducks, geese, brant, golden plover, yellowlegs, Wilson snipe a week (week ends at midnight Saturday), but not more than 8 geese, 8 brant, 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs a day; 30 ducks, geese, and brant in possession; 50 sora and 25 in all of other rails, coots, and gallinules. Possession during close season permitted upon filing with county game commission description and number of each kind of game, which may be tagged or stamped by commission for identification, but migratory birds may not be possessed longer than the first 10 days after close of open season.

Interstate transportation: Export of all protected game prohibited, except that nonresident licensee may export one day's limit of game birds upon attaching an affidavit that they were lawfully killed by himself and are not being exported for sale.

Game taken outside of State when accompanied by affidavit of chief game official may be possessed at any time for noncommercial use, except that migratory game birds may be possessed only during open season where taken and first 10 days of close season.

Sale: Sale of all protected game prohibited.

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[76] *Washington:* County game commission, with consent of director of fisheries and game, may shorten, close, or open season and fix bag limits on game and fur animals, and upland game birds. Communicate with county game commission at county seat, or supervisor of game and game fish, Box 384, Seattle.

[77] No open season on waterfowl on Columbia or Snake Rivers or within one-fourth mile of their shores in counties of Benton, Columbia, Douglas, Franklin, Garfield, Grant, Kittitas, Walla Walla, Whitman, and Yakima.

WEST VIRGINIA

Open seasons:	*Dates inclusive*
Rabbit (except on own land at any time)	Oct. 1–Dec. 31.
Squirrel	Sept. 22–Nov. 30.
Ruffed grouse (pheasant), wild turkey.[78]	Oct. 15–Nov. 30.
Quail (Virginia partridge)[78]	Nov. 1–Nov. 30.
Duck, goose, brant	Oct. 15–Dec. 31.
Coot, gallinule	Sept. 16–Dec. 31.
Wilson snipe or jacksnipe	Oct. 15–Dec. 14.
Black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Sept. 16–Dec. 31.
Woodcock	Oct. 15–Nov. 30.
Rail (ortolan), other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 16–Nov. 30.

No open season: Elk (1931); deer (1926); dove, imported pheasants, capercailzie, and other introduced foreign game birds; swans, wood duck, bitterns, sandhill crane, grebes, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident, game and fish, $15; resident, game and fish, $1; issued by county clerk. Aliens not permitted to hunt. License not required of minor under 15. Landowner, his resident children and tenants, may hunt or fish on own land during open season without a license. Unlawful to hunt or fish on inclosed or improved lands of another without written permission of owner.

WEST VIRGINIA—Continued

Bag limits and possession: Eight squirrels a day, 60 a season; 10 quail a day, 60 a season; 4 ruffed grouse a day, 20 a season; 1 wild turkey a day, 4 a season; 25 ducks, 8 geese, 8 brant, 6 woodcock, 25 Wilson snipe, 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs, 50 sora, and 25 in all of other rails, coot, and gallinules a day. Possession of migratory birds permitted during first 10 days of close season; other game legally taken may be possessed at any time.

Interstate transportation: Export prohibited of elk, deer, squirrels, quail, ruffed grouse (pheasant), wild turkey, geese, brant, ducks. Not more than two days' limit of migratory birds (except waterfowl) may be exported by one person in any one calendar week.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed at any time, except that migratory game birds may be possessed only during open season where taken and first 10 days of close season.

Sale: Sale prohibited of all protected game, except that rabbits may be sold during open season.

Miscellaneous: Unlawful to discharge firearms across any public road, within 400 feet of any schoolhouse or church, within 500 feet of a dwelling house, or on or near any park or place where people gather for pleasure.

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[29] *West Virginia:* The sex and number of wild turkeys killed in State must be reported to commission in December of each year.

[30] Commission may change the dates in any county for the open season on quail, but may not permit more than 30 days' hunting.

WISCONSIN

Open seasons:	*Dates inclusive*
Deer (male, not less than 1 year old) in Pierce, Barron, Eau Claire, Clark, Wood, Lincoln, Langlade, Oconto (north of Township 30), and all counties north thereof (except Marathon)	Nov. 13–Nov. 22.
In Marathon and rest of State, no open season.	
Rabbit (see exceptions)	Oct. 1–Dec. 31.
Exceptions: In Jefferson County	Nov. 15–Jan. 15.
In Crawford, Grant, Richland, and Vernon Counties, unprotected.	
Squirrels (see exception)	Oct. 15–Jan. 1.
Exception: In Dodge, Fond du Lac, Jefferson, Kenosha, Milwaukee, Ozaukee, Racine, Walworth, Washington, Waukesha, and Waushara Counties, no open season.	
Partridge or ruffed grouse, spruce hen (see exception)	Oct. 4–Oct. 8.
Exception: In Calumet, Manitowoc, and Winnebago Counties, no open season.	
Prairie chicken or pinnated grouse, sharp-tailed grouse (see exception)	Sept. 20–Sept. 24.
Exception: In Barron, Calumet, Crawford, Dane, Dunn, Fond du Lac, Grant, Green, Iowa, Jefferson, Kenosha, La Crosse, Lafayette, Lincoln, Manitowoc, Milwaukee, Monroe, Oneida, Ozaukee, Polk, Portage, Racine, Richland, Rock, Sauk, Vernon, Walworth, Washington, Waukesha, Waupaca, and Winnebago Counties	No open season.

WISCONSIN—Continued

Open seasons—Continued	*Dates inclusive*
Hungarian partridge in Jefferson and Waukesha Counties only	Sept. 7–Sept. 11.
Duck, coot or mudhen, gallinule, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Sept. 16–Dec. 20.
Goose, brant	Sept. 16–Dec. 31.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 16–Nov. 30.

No open season: Elk, moose, quail, pheasants (Chinese, English, Mongolian), Hungarian partridge (except as above), woodcock, dove, swans, wood duck, eider ducks, auks, bitterns, little brown, sandhill, and whooping cranes, grebes, guillemots, gulls, herons, loons, murres, terns, and all shorebirds (except Wilson snipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident: All game, $50; all game (except deer), $25; fish, $3 (not required in outlying waters or of person under 6); settler, $1; guide, $1. Issued by commission. Resident: Game, $1 (deer tag, 50 cents additional). Issued by county clerks.

Hunting licenses not issued to persons under 15 or to aliens. Hunting prohibited in fields of growing grain or on lands of another without consent of owner.

Bag limits and possession: One male deer a season; 5 squirrels a day; 5 rabbits a day in counties where protected; other counties, no limit; 5 partridge and spruce hens a day; 5 prairie chickens and sharp-tailed grouse a day; 5 Hungarian partridges a day; 8 geese, 8 brant a day. Ducks (including coot or mud hen), 15 a day; plovers, snipe, rail, rice hen, 15 a day; 15 yellowlegs, but not more than 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs a day.

Possession at any time of deer duly tagged permitted for private use by person killing it. Possession at any time prohibited of game by person without hunting license or scientist's certificate.

Interstate transportation: Export of all protected game prohibited, except that nonresident licensee may transport, between November 14 and 25, inclusive, 1 deer duly tagged if he accompanies shipment and may take in his personal possession, openly, a mixed bag of not more than 20 game birds legally killed, but not more than the bag limit for one day of any one variety.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed as authorized by permit from conservation commissioner, except that migratory game birds may be possessed only during open season where taken and first 10 days of close season.

Sale: Sale of all protected game prohibited (except rabbit). Rabbits may be sold during open season.

WYOMING

Open seasons: [29]	*Dates inclusive*
Deer (with horns)	Sept. 15–Oct. 15.
Elk in Lincoln, Teton, Sublette, Park, and Fremont Counties (except between Roaring Fork Creek and Big Sandy River on the west slope of Wind River Mountains in Bridger National Forest, and north of Big Wind River and south of Sweetwater River in Fremont County)	Sept. 15–Nov. 15.
Sheep (mature male with horns not less than one-half curl) in Lincoln, Teton, Sublette, Park, and Fremont Counties only	Sept. 15–Nov. 15.
Grouse (other than sage grouse)	Sept. 15–Nov. 15.
Sage grouse	Aug. 1–Aug. 15.
Duck, goose, coot, gallinule, black-bellied and golden plovers, Wilson snipe, yellowlegs	Sept. 16–Dec. 16.
Rail, other than coot and gallinule	Sept. 1–Nov. 30.

WYOMING—Continued

No open season: Elk (except as above), does and fawns, buffalo, moose,[81] antelope,[81] quail, Mongolian pheasants (1925); dove, swans, wood duck, bitterns, little brown and sandhill cranes, grebes, gulls, herons, loons, terns, and all shorebirds (except Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident: General, $50 (not issued to minor under 16; authorizes hunting of bears, Sept. 15–Nov. 15, limit, 3 bears); nonresident hunting big game must be accompanied by a guide, but not more than 3 may hunt under one guide; birds, $5 (not issued to minor under 16); fish, $3 (not required of minor under 12). Bear, $25 (issued by commissioner; authorizes killing of 3 bears at such times as may be designated). Alien: Fish, $5; resident alien, fish, $3. Resident: General, $2.50 (not issued to minor under 16); birds, $1.50 (not issued to minor under 14); fish, $1 (not required of G. A. R. veterans, or minors under 12 years of age). Guide: Citizens only, $25 (bond, $500—may guide party of 3 nonresidents at one time). Permit to photograph game or birds, under supervision of commission, January 1–April 30, $5. Permit to hunt bear in State game preserves, $5; permit to hunt bear in national forests outside of State game preserves, $5, and $1 for each dog. Taxidermist, $10. Licenses issued by commissioner, justice of peace, assistant and deputy wardens, and county and city clerks. Unlawful to hunt on inclosed lands of another without consent of owner. Licensee required to make sworn statement, on or before December 1, showing whether or not any game animals have been killed by him, and if so the number and sex of each kind, time and place of killing, and name of guide present when killing was done.

Bag limits and possession: One deer, 1 elk, 1 sheep, a season; 4 sage hens, 8 geese, 15 other game birds a day; possession limited to 15 game birds of which not more than 6 may be sage hens.

Interstate transportation: Export of all protected game prohibited; provided, game may be exported if properly tagged by a justice of the peace, fee 50 cents. Game tags issued under affidavit that game was lawfully killed, and if for edible portion, that it is not for sale. Not more than 50 ducks 16 geese, 16 brant, 50 Wilson snipe, 30 in all of plovers and yellowlegs, or 50 in all of rails, coots, and gallinules may be exported by one person in any one calendar week.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed at any time, except that migratory game birds may be possessed only during open season where taken and first 10 days of close season. Person possessing game during close season in State must show lawful taking.

Sale: Sale of all game of State prohibited; provided, the sale of game (except edible portion) is permitted when properly tagged. Justice of peace issues tags (fee, 50 cents), under affidavit that game was lawfully captured or killed. Sale of migratory birds prohibited.

[80] *Wyoming:* The State game and fish commission may suspend open season in any county or district of State on any species of game when threatened with extinction.

[81] State game and fish commission may permit bull moose and buck antelope to be killed in certain sections, to be designated, from September 15 to October 31. Commissioner may issue not to exceed 100 permits for each species when authorized. Bull moose: Fees, resident citizen, $50; nonresident or noncitizen, $100; limit, 1 a season. Buck antelope: Fees, resident citizen, $25; nonresident or noncitizen, $50; limit, 1 a season.

Canada

The migratory birds convention act of August 29, 1917, as amended in 1919, and the regulations thereunder, promulgated by the Governor General in council are similar to the migratory bird treaty act and regulations in that they give effect to and conform with the provisions of the treaty between the United States and Great Britain for the protection of migratory birds in the United States and Canada.[82]

Canada also has a general law prohibiting export of deer in the carcass or parts thereof (except as to cured deer heads and hides of deer and except carcasses and parts of deer raised on private preserves); and wild turkey, quail, partridge, prairie fowl, and woodcock; but subject to Provincial laws and under a permit from the collector of customs, a nonresident licensee, on not more than two occasions during one calendar year, may export, during the open season in the Province where killed and within 15 days thereafter, not more than the whole or parts of one moose and of three deer not being moose, legally shot by him for sport and not for gain or hire; provided, however, that a nonresident licensee may export from Yukon Territory in one year the hides and heads of not more than 2 moose, 4 caribou, and 4 deer not being moose or caribou. Such licensee, at any port of export, may make an export entry in duplicate of such deer or parts thereof upon subscribing before the collector of customs a declaration to be annexed to said export entry, producing his license or permit for shooting the deer to the collector of customs who shall indorse thereon a description of the quantity and parts entered for exportation, and thereupon, if satisfied as to the identity of the sportsman and that the exportation is not prohibited, may issue his permit under the seal of the customs house for the export of the deer or parts thereof, which permit must accompany the shipment. The ports of export are Halifax and Yarmouth, Nova Scotia; McAdams Junction, St. John, and St. Stephens, New Brunswick; Montreal, Quebec, Sherbrooke, Beebe Junction, and St. Armand, Quebec; Bridgeburg, Brockville, Kingston, Ottawa, Port Arthur, Prescott, Niagara Falls, Sarnia, Saulte Ste. Marie, Toronto, and Windsor, Ontario; Emerson, Manitoba; North Portal, Saskatchewan; Coutts, Alberta; Kingsgate and Waneta, British Columbia; White Horse, Yukon Territory; and all other customs ports and outports on the frontier of the United States; and such others as the minister of customs may designate.

[82] *Canada:* Full text of the regulations, as amended, will be found in separate publication (see footnote 2, p. 4).

ALBERTA

Open seasons: [83]	*Dates inclusive*
Deer, moose, caribou (must have horns at least 4 inches long)	Nov. 1–Dec. 14.[84]
Sheep (male), goat (must have horns at least 4 inches long)	Sept. 1–Oct. 31.
Grouse, partridge, prairie chicken, ptarmigan	Oct. 1–Oct. 31.
Hungarian partridge (south Battle River only—north, no open season)	Sept. 15–Nov. 15.
Duck, goose, brant, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs, rail, coot, gallinule	Sept. 15–Dec. 14.

No open season: Elk or wapiti, buffalo; females of deer, moose, sheep, young of all big game with horns less than 4 inches in length, antelope (1925); pheasant, dove, swans, wood duck, bitterns, little brown, sandhill, and whooping cranes, grebes, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, terns, and all shorebirds (except Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting licenses: [84] Nonresident: General, $25; bird, $5. Resident: Big game, $1; birds, $2.25; not required of farmer or member of family residing with him on farm nor of residents residing north of fifty-fifth parallel; guide, $2.50 (guide may not act for more than three persons on any trip). Special license: Nonresident, $25; resident, $2.50 (issued to holders of general licenses and authorizes taking of deer, moose, and caribou in Rocky Mountain Forest Reserves of Alberta, September 1 to October 31, inclusive). Taxidermist, $5. Issued by minister of agriculture.

Bag limits: Deer, moose, caribou, sheep, goat, 1 of each species a season; grouse, partridge, prairie chicken, ptarmigan, 10 a day, 50 a season; Hungarian partridge, 15 a day, 75 a season; 30 ducks a day, 200 a season; 15 geese, 15 brant, 25 in all of rails and coots, 25 Wilson snipe, and 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs a day.

Export: Export of all protected game prohibited, except that minister of agriculture may grant permits for export of game at the rate of $5 for each head of big game and $1 per dozen for game birds. The holder of a general nonresident license may take with him out of Province as trophies, heads, skins, and hoofs of big game legally killed by him. Any person may export mounted or branded heads at a fee of $1 for each head. Export of migratory birds prohibited during close season.

Sale: Sale of the flesh of all game prohibited. Heads of big game before being sold must be stamped by minister of agriculture at fee of $5 for elk, caribou, moose, sheep; and $2 each for deer and goat.

[83] *Alberta:* Resident north of 55th parallel, when necessary to provide food for his family, may kill big game (other than buffalo and elk) and scoters.

[84] Deer, moose, and caribou (big game must have horns at least 4 inches long), open season under special license in Rocky Mountain Forest Reserves of Alberta, September 1 to October 31, inclusive (see Hunting Licenses).

BRITISH COLUMBIA [85]

Open seasons:	*Dates inclusive*
Duck, goose, brant, rail, coot, gallinule, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs (1924–25):	
Northern and Eastern Districts [86]	Sept. 15–Dec. 30.
Western District [86]—north of fifty-third parallel	Sept. 13–Dec. 28.
Duck, rail, coot, and gallinule:	
Western District—south of fifty-third parallel	Oct. 15–Jan. 29.
Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs:	
Western district—south of fifty-third parallel	Oct. 1–Jan. 15.
Goose, brant:	
Western District—south of fifty-third parallel	Nov. 8–Feb. 23.

BRITISH COLUMBIA—Continued

No open season: Buffalo, elk, young of deer and goat, and females and young of moose, caribou, and sheep; swans, wood duck, band-tailed pigeons, little brown and sandhill cranes, auklets, auks, bitterns, fulmars, grebes, guillemots, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, murres, petrels, puffins, shearwaters, terns, and all shorebirds (except Wilson snipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident: General, $25 and $25 additional for each grizzly bear, moose, sheep, wapiti, or caribou, $15 additional for each black or brown bear, mountain goat, or mule deer, and $5 additional for every deer of any other species shot by him; bear, January 1–July 1, $25; angling, season $5, or $1 per day up to five days; British subject, birds $5 per week. Resident and members of Army, Navy, air forces, or militia on duty in Province: Deer and birds, $2.50; big game and birds, $5. Big game, birds, and trapping, $10 (holder must report within two months after expiration of license number of big game or fur animals taken); guide, $5, taxidermist, $5. Issued by warden or any person authorized by him.

No fee required of farmer holding over 10 acres of land or member of family for license to hunt birds and deer on land on which he resides. Free license granted to prospector under certain conditions upon production of free miner's certificate. No license issued to person under 18 without written consent of parent or guardian, and then to hunt with firearms only under supervision of licensed adult. Unlawful to hunt on cultivated, cleared, or inclosed land without owner's consent.

Badge to be worn by licensee. Firearms not to be carried without license.

Bag limits and possession: Twenty ducks a day, 150 a season; 10 geese a day, 50 a season; 10 brant a day, 50 a season; 25 in all of rail and coot, 25 Wilson snipe, and 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs a day. (Limits on other species of game fixed by regulations of lieutenant governor in council.) Game may be possessed for two weeks after close of open season. Unlawful for a dealer in skins to possess the skin of any wapiti (elk) or deer.

Export: Export prohibited of all protected game except under permit of the Game Conservation Board.

Sale: Sale of migratory game birds prohibited and of all other game, except under regulations of lieutenant governor in council.

[85] *British Columbia:* Regulations prescribing seasons, bag limits, and restrictions on the sale of big game and upland game birds for season 1924-25 are adopted by the lieutenant governor in council. Full information may be had from the secretary, Game Conservation Board, Vancouver, British Columbia.

[86] For definition of districts, see Regulation 2 (footnote No. 2, p. 4).

MANITOBA

Open seasons:	*Dates inclusive*
Deer, moose, caribou, or reindeer (males)	Dec. 1–Dec. 10.
Ptarmigan	Oct. 1–Oct. 20.
Prairie chicken, partridge, ruffed grouse	Oct. 15–Oct. 22.
Duck (in portion of Province north of fifty-third parallel, Sept. 1–Nov 30), goose, brant, rail, coot, Wilson snipe	Sept. 15–Nov. 30.

No open season: Bison or buffalo, elk or wapiti, antelope or cabri, females and young of big game, dove; quail, pheasant, Hungarian partridge, introduced game bird (1927); swans, wood duck, eider ducks, bitterns, little brown, sandhill, and whooping cranes, grebes, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, terns, and all shorebirds (except Wilson snipe or jacksnipe.

MANITOBA—Continued

Hunting licenses: Nonresident alien, big game, $25; birds, $25. Nonresident British, big game, $15; birds, $10. Resident, big game, $5; birds, $2. Issued by minister of agriculture. Hunting prohibited on inclosed or cultivated land or land covered by buildings or water, without consent of owner. No license required of farmers or members of family to hunt on farm on which they reside. Holder of resident bird license required, on or before December 15, to return license with sworn statement that he has not violated the act.

Bag limits and possession: One in all of deer, moose, and caribou a season; 15 ptarmigan a day, 50 a season; prairie chicken, 35 a season; partridge or ruffed grouse, 25 a season; 20 ducks a day in September, 40 a day in October and November, 200 a season; 10 geese, 15 brant, 25 in all of rails, and coots, 25 Wilson snipe, and 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs a day. Possession of ptarmigan, prairie chicken, partridge, and grouse allowed for 10 days, and of ducks for four months after close of hunting season. Venison for private use may be possessed at any time on proof of illegal killing. Heads and hides of big game legally taken, within or without Province, may be possessed at any time.

Export: Export prohibited of all protected game except under permit issued by department of agriculture. No permit may be issued for export of ptarmigan, prairie chicken, partridge, grouse, geese, ducks, or entire carcass of any moose, caribou, or deer; provided, nonresident licensee under permit issued free may export carcass of moose, caribou, or deer, and not more than 50 geese and 50 ducks killed by him. (No duck may be exported before October 1.) Export of migratory birds prohibited during close season.

Sale: Sale of all protected game prohibited except heads and hides of big game.

Miscellaneous: Hunters must wear complete outer suit and cap of white material.

NEW BRUNSWICK

Open seasons:	*Dates inclusive*
Deer (see exception)	Sept. 15–Nov. 14.
Exception: On Grand Manan, Campobello,[87] and Deer Islands	No open season.
Bull moose	Oct. 1–Nov. 30.
Duck, goose, brant, rail, coot, gallinule (see exception)	Sept. 15–Dec. 31.
Exception: Islands in the Grand Manan group	Oct. 15–Jan 31.
Woodcock, jacksnipe or Wilson snipe	Oct. 1–Nov. 30.
Black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Aug. 15–Nov. 30.

No open season: Caribou (Oct. 1, 1927); calf under 3 years and cow moose; pheasant; partridge,[88] swans, wood duck, eider ducks, auks, bitterns, fulmars, gannet, grebes, guillemots, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, murres, petrels, puffins, shearwaters, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident: General, $50; bird, $25; trout, $10; salmon, $25. Resident: Big game, $3; taxidermist, $1; guide, $1; camp help, $1. Big game license not issued to person under 18. Issued by minister of lands and mines and authorized vendors. Nonresident licensee must have registered guide, and not more than 2 hunters may accompany one guide.

Bag limits and possession: Two deer, 1 moose (lumber camp limited to 2 moose and 4 deer) a season; 6 partridges a day, 20 a season; 25 ducks, 15 geese; 15 brant, 25 in all of rails, coot, gallinules, 10 woodcock, 25 Wilson snipe, and 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs a day. Game may be kept for personal use in cold storage during close season under permit.

Export: Export of all game prohibited, except under license tags and permit from minister of lands and mines.

NEW BRUNSWICK—Continued

Sale: Sale of all game prohibited, except that a licensed hunter may sell moose or deer which he has lawfully killed. Keepers of hotels, inns, etc., may serve game during open season and 15 days thereafter. Hides and skins of animals may be sold under license by nonresidents or aliens, fee, $25; and residents, fee, $5.

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[87] *New Brunswick:* Minister of lands and mines may issue license (fee, $1) to resident of Grand Manan or Campobello Island to take one deer, Dec. 1–Dec. 10.

[88] Season on partridge may be opened by order in council.

NORTHWEST TERRITORIES[89]

Open seasons:[90]	*Dates inclusive*
Deer and moose (males only), mountain goat	Sept. 1–Apr. 1.
Mountain sheep, caribou	Aug. 1–Oct. 1; Dec. 1–Apr. 1.
Partridge, prairie chicken, ptarmigan, and other grouse	Sept. 1–Jan. 1.
Duck, goose, brant, rail, coot, gallinule, Wilson snipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Sept. 1–Dec. 14

No open season: Buffalo or bison; musk-ox, wapiti or elk, does, cow moose; females of caribou, sheep, and goat with young, and young of any such animals; swan (1928); wood duck. Hunting or trapping prohibited on Victoria and Banks Islands; auks, bitterns, little brown and sandhill cranes, fulmars, grebes, guillemots, gulls, jaegers loons, murres, terns, and all shorebirds (except Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting and trapping licenses: General: Nonresident, $150; nonresident British subject, $75; resident, $3; birds, nonresident, $5; trading or trafficking in game: Nonresident, $300; nonresident British subject, $150; resident, $5. Issued by director of Northwest Territories. Native-born Indians, Eskimos, or half-breed bona fide residents of Northwest Territories may hunt without a license.

Bag limits: Two bull moose, 2 male deer, 4 caribou; mountain sheep, 2 of any species, 3 in all; mountain goat, 2 of any species a season; 25 ducks, 15 geese, 15 brant, 25 in all of rails, coot, and gallinules, 25 Wilson snipe, and 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs a day.

Export: Export of the meat of any game prohibited.

Sale: Sale of game illegally taken prohibited.

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[89] "*Northwest Territories* means the northwest territories formerly known as Rupert's Land and the Northwestern Territory (except such portions thereof as are included in the Provinces of Ontario, Quebec, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, and Alberta and the Yukon Territory), together with all British territories and possessions in North America and all islands adjacent thereto not included within any Province, except the Colony of Newfoundland and its dependencies."

[90] Indians, Eskimos, bona fide inhabitants, explorers, and surveyors may take game, except buffalo, musk-ox, or elk, and the eggs of birds when actually needing them to prevent starvation.

NOVA SCOTIA

Open seasons:	*Dates inclusive*
Deer, male (except in Counties of Cape Breton, Inverness, and Victoria, no open season)[91]	Oct. 16–Oct. 31.
Moose, bulls (except on Cape Breton Island, no open season)[91]	Oct. 1–Nov. 15.
Hare, rabbit	Nov. 1–Feb. 28.
Ruffed grouse (birch partridge)	Oct. 1–Oct. 31.

NOVA SCOTIA—Continued

Open seasons—Continued	*Dates inclusive*
Duck, goose, brant, rail, coot, gallinule (see exceptions)	Sept. 15–Dec. 31.
Exceptions: Goose, brant, in Shelburne and Queens Counties (only persons holding license from minister)	Nov. 1–Feb. 14.
Duck, rail, in Yarmouth and Shelburne Counties	Oct. 15–Jan. 31.
Woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe	Oct. 1–Nov. 30.
Black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Aug. 15–Nov. 30.

No open season: Caribou (1930); females and young of deer and moose; Canada grouse (spruce partridge), pheasant; swans, wood duck, eider ducks, auks, bitterns, fulmars, gannet, grebes, guillemots, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, murres, petrels, puffins, shearwaters, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting licenses: Nonresident: All game, $40; birds and small game, except woodcock and snipe, $15, nonresident paying taxes equal to license fee, $10; military or naval officer stationed in Province, $5; resident alien, $10. Resident: Big game, $2; guide, $2. Taxidermist, $5. Issued by commissioner of forests and game and municipal clerks.

Bag limits and possession: One deer, 1 moose a season; 5 ruffed grouse, 25 ducks, 15 geese, 15 brant, 25 in all of rails, coot, and gallinules, 10 woodcock, 25 Wilson snipe, and 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs a day. The green hide or fresh meat of big game may be possessed as follows: Moose, October 1 to November 20; deer, October 16 to November 3.

Export: Export prohibited of all protected game, except that holder of nonresident general license may ship out of Province under license tag 1 moose lawfully shot by himself.

Sale: Sale of deer, moose, caribou, pheasant, blackcock, capercailzie, Canada grouse (spruce partridge), chukar partridge, ruffed grouse, and all migratory game birds, prohibited. Rabbits may be sold November 4 to February 1 and any game bird other than those above mentioned, during the open season, with the exception of the first three days.

[92] *Nova Scotia:* Every person killing a deer or moose must, within 10 days, make a written and signed report to the commissioner of forests and game showing his address, when and where such animal was killed, and its sex.

ONTARIO

Open seasons: [93]	*Dates inclusive*
Deer, bull moose, caribou, north of main line Canadian Government Railway, between Quebec and Manitoba boundary lines	Sept. 15–Nov. 15.
South of Canadian Government Railway to French and Mattawa Rivers	Oct. 25–Nov. 30.
South of French and Mattawa Rivers (see exception)	Nov. 5–Nov. 20.
Exception: Deer in St. Edmund, Linsay, Eastnor, Albemarle, and Greenock Townships, Bruce County, no open season.	
Hare	Unprotected.
Ruffed grouse or partridge	Oct. 15–Nov. 20.
Woodcock	Sept. 15–Oct. 15.
Duck, goose, brant, black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs, jacksnipe or Wilson snipe, rail, coot, gallinule (see exception)	Sept. 1–Dec. 15.
Exception: Eider duck, north of Quebec, Cochrane, Winnipeg line of Canadian Nat. Ry., only	Sept. 1–Dec. 15.

ONTARIO—Continued

No open season: Cow and calf moose and young of moose and caribou under 1 year of age; black or gray squirrels, quail, pheasant or prairie fowl, wild turkey; dove, swans, wood duck, auks, bitterns; little brown, sandhill, and whooping cranes; gannet, grebes, guillemots, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, murres, petrels, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting licenses: Nonresident: General, $41; game birds and rabbits, $21. Resident: Moose and caribou, $5.50; deer, $3.50; camp license, $3.50 (allows 1 deer to 6 persons for food in camp). Farmers living upon and tilling their own land in districts of Haliburton, Muskoka, Parry Sound, Nipissing, and Manitoulin and that part of Province lying north and west thereof may kill during open season 1 deer for own use without license. Guide, $2. Issued by department of game and fisheries.

Bag limits and possession: One deer, 1 bull moose, 1 caribou a season; 10 ruffed grouse or partridge a season; 25 ducks a day, 200 a season; 15 geese, 15 brant, 25 in all of rails, coot, and gallinules, 10 woodcock, 25 Wilson snipe, and 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs a day. Two or more persons hunting together under license may kill an average of 1 deer each. Possession permitted during open season and until March 31 following of all game except migratory birds.

Export: The export of all wild game animals and birds is prohibited; provided, 1 deer, 1 bull moose, reindeer, or caribou, and 100 ducks may be exported under nonresident hunting license if shipping coupon and, if required, affidavit of lawful killing be attached and contents of packages be open to view. Minister may issue permit for the export of game, dead or alive, at any time, except migratory birds, during close season.

Sale: Sale of migratory game birds, quail, and ruffed grouse or partridge prohibited. All other native game may be sold during the open season by the person killing it, and by dealers during open season and until the following January 1, under license; hotels, restaurants, and clubs under license may sell during closed season to March 31.

[93] *Ontario:* Lieutenant governor in council may alter the current close season on any game animal or game bird whose numbers have diminished.

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

Open seasons:	*Dates inclusive*
Hare, rabbit	Nov. 1–Feb. 1.
Partridge (closed in even, open in odd years)	Oct. 15, 1925.
Duck, goose, brant, rail, coot, gallinule	Sept. 1–Dec. 14.
Woodcock, jacksnipe or Wilson snipe	Sept. 15–Nov. 30.
Black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Aug. 15–Nov. 30.

No open season: Swans, wood duck, eider ducks, bitterns, little brown crane, gannet, grebes, guillemots, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, murres, petrels, shearwaters, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting licenses: Nonresident, $15; if applicant pays taxes on real estate valued at $325, fee $5; sons and brothers of residents returning for visit, $2.50; guest, $2. Issued by game inspectors and tax collectors. Hunting on inclosed lands without permission of owner prohibited.

Bag limits: Twenty-five ducks, 15 geese, 15 brant, 25 in all of rails, coot, and gallinules, 10 woodcock, 25 Wilson snipe, and 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs a day.

Export: Export prohibited of all game except geese and brant; provided, nonresident licensee may carry out of Province 12 birds killed by himself if tagged and carried open to view. Export of migratory birds prohibited during close season.

Sale: Game lawfully killed (except migratory birds) may be sold.

QUEBEC

Open seasons:	*Dates inclusive*
Moose (see exception)	Sept. 10–Dec. 31.
Exception: South of St. Lawrence River	Sept. 20–Dec. 31.
Caribou	Sept. 20–Dec. 31.
Deer	Sept. 1–Nov. 30.
Hare	Oct. 15–Jan. 31.
Bear	Aug. 20–June 30.
Birch or swamp partridge	Sept. 1–Dec. 14.
White partridge or ptarmigan	Nov. 1–Jan. 31.
Duck, goose, brant, rail, coot, gallinule, woodcock, jacksnipe or Wilson snipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Sept. 1–Dec. 15.

No open season: Cow moose, young of deer, moose, and caribou, swans, wood duck, eider ducks, auks, bitterns, fulmars, gannet, grebes, guillemots, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, murres, petrels, puffins, shearwaters, terns, and all shorebirds (except woodcock, Wilson snipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting licenses: Nonresident: General, $25 (members of incorporated hunting clubs, $10). Resident, $2 (not required of resident British subject hunting for own use); resident special, $5 (3 deer and 3 caribou additional to limit). Issued by minister of colonization.

Bag limits and possession: Two deer, 1 moose, 2 caribou a season; 2 caribou and 3 deer under special resident license. Twenty-five ducks, 15 geese, 15 brant, 25 in all of rails, coot, and gallinules, 10 woodcock, 25 Wilson snipe, and 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs a day. Game lawfully killed may be possessed until 15 days after close of open season.

Export: Export of moose, caribou, and deer, or parts thereof, prohibited except under tags attached to nonresident license not later than 15 days after close of season; export of migratory birds prohibited during close season. Big game lawfully taken and coming from without Province may be transported under permit issued by minister of colonization (fee not to exceed $5). Unlawful to export deer, moose, and caribou skins without payment of royalties prescribed by lieutenant governor in council.

Sale: Sale of birch or spruce partridge prohibited until October 15, 1925. Game lawfully taken may be sold from the third day of open season to and including the fifteenth day after expiration of open season, except that sale of migratory birds is prohibited during close season. Licensed hotels, restaurants, and clubs may serve game lawfully taken, except birch or spruce partridge.

SASKATCHEWAN

Open seasons: [93]	*Dates inclusive*
Deer, moose (males only), caribou (see exception)	Nov. 15–Dec. 14.
Exception: South of Township 35	No open season.
Ruffed grouse (partridge), sharp-tailed grouse, Canada grouse (spruce grouse), prairie chicken (pinnated grouse), ptarmigan	Oct. 1–Oct. 31.
Duck, goose, brant, rail, coot, gallinule, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Sept. 15–Dec. 31.

No open season: Antelope, buffalo, elk, and females of big game other than caribou, and young of big game under one year of age.[94] Sage grouse, European, gray, or Hungarian partridge; swans, wood duck, bitterns, little brown, sandhill, and whooping cranes, grebes, gulls, herons, loons, terns, and all shorebirds (except Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting licenses: Nonresident: Big game, $25; birds, $15; nonresident domiciled in Canada, birds, $5; issued by minister of agriculture. Resident: Big game, $5; birds, $1.25. Issued by minister or agent. Bird license not required of residents hunting on land outside city, town, village, or hamlet on which they are actually

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domiciled. No license issued to person under 16 without written consent of parent or guardian. Big-game hunters must wear white suit and cap. Hunting prohibited on inclosed lands without consent. Taxidermist, $5.

Bag limits and possession: One moose, 2 deer, 2 caribou, but not more than 2 in all of big game animals a season; ruffed grouse, sharp-tailed grouse, Canada grouse, prairie chicken, ptarmigan, 10 in all a day, 30 in all a season; 30 in all of ducks, geese, and brant a day, 200 a season; 25 in all of rail and coot, 25 Wilson snipe, and 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs a day. Game birds may be kept in licensed storage from September 16 to March 1 and flesh of big game from December 1 to April 1 if tagged with number and kind of game, name of depositor, and number of his hunting license. Licensed hunters must report number of big game and game birds killed.

Export: Export of all protected game prohibited; provided, nonresident licensee on leaving Province may take with him during open season personally under his license coupons and permit big game and 100 game birds legally killed. Export of migratory birds prohibited during close season. Minister may issue permits to export deer (fee, $2 per head) or other big game (fee, $5 per head), hides of big game (fee, $1 each), flesh of big game (fee, $1 each 20 pounds or less), birds (except grouse family) (fee, $1 per dozen, limits, 1 dozen grouse, 5 dozen waterfowl, per season). No permit may be issued for the entire carcass of a moose, elk, caribou, or other deer, and no person may export in one season more than 60 ducks or geese or 12 prairie chickens or other grouse.

Sale: Sale of the flesh of all protected game prohibited.

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[93] *Saskatchewan:* Lieutenant governor in council may extend close seasons over current year, within limits, on petition of six game guardians.

[94] Male moose having horns less than 6 inches in length deemed to be under one year of age.

YUKON

Open seasons: [95]	*Dates inclusive*
Deer, moose, caribou, sheep, goat (males only)	Aug. 1–Mar. 1.
Partridge, prairie chicken, grouse, ptarmigan, pheasant	Sept. 1–Mar. 15.
Duck, goose, brant, rail, coot, gallinule, Wilson snipe, or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, yellowlegs	Sept. 1–Dec. 14.

No open season: Elk or wapiti, musk-ox, bison or buffalo, and females of other big game; swans, cranes, grebes, gulls, jaegers, loons, terns, and all shorebirds (except Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and yellowlegs).

Hunting licenses: Nonresident, $100 (permits the killing of 1 moose, 2 deer, 2 caribou, 1 sheep, and 1 goat); licensee in addition may kill 1 moose, 2 deer, 2 caribou, 1 sheep, and 1 goat, but must pay a fee of $25 for each additional animal so taken. Resident, $25 (special license authorizing the killing of male moose and male caribou over 1 year of age at any time for food supplies in the Territory); licensee must make annual returns. Resident: Chief guide, $20; assistant guide, $10; camp helper, $5. Issued by commissioner or game guardian.

Bag limits: (For limits on big game to a nonresident, see "Hunting licenses.") Six caribou, 6 deer, 2 moose, 2 sheep, 2 goats a season; 25 ducks, 15 geese, 15 brant, 25 in all of rail, coot, and gallinules, 10 woodcock, 25 Wilson snipe, and 15 in all of plovers and yellowlegs a day.

Export: Export of migratory birds prohibited during close season. Upon affidavit of lawful killing, commissioner may issue permit to export game. Export of raw hide of moose or caribou prohibited except under permit. Trophies, including head, hide, and hoofs, of big game lawfully killed by nonresident may be exported under his license and certificate of game guardian.

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Sale: Deer, moose, caribou, sheep, and goats lawfully taken may be sold during the open season and 60 days thereafter. Male moose and male caribou over 1 year of age killed by a resident under special license may be sold at any time for food upon obtaining certificate of lawful killing from a game guardian. License (fee, $10) required to purchase and traffic in the flesh of moose or caribou. Licensee must make annual returns. Sale of migratory birds prohibited during close season.

[95] *Yukon:* Indians, explorers, surveyors, prospectors, miners, and travelers in need of food may take game during close season. Commissioner in council may alter seasons.

Colony of Newfoundland

Open seasons:	*Dates inclusive*
Caribou (except in a special region near Grand Lake, no open season)	Aug. 1–Sept. 30; Oct. 21–Jan. 31.
Hare, rabbit	Sept. 20–Jan. 1.[96]
Ptarmigan, willow grouse or partridge, plovers, curlew, snipe, or "other wild or migratory birds (except wild geese and crows, unprotected)"	Sept. 20–Jan. 1.

No open season: Elk, moose.

Hunting and fishing licenses: Nonresident: Caribou, $51; fish (salmon and sea trout), $10.50. Guide, nonresident, $50; resident, free.

Caribou licenses issued by game and inland fisheries board, stipendiary magistrate, or justice of peace.

Unlicensed guides not to be employed. Guide may not conduct party of more than three.

Bag limits: Three caribou (stags) a season by nonresident licensee; 2 stags, 1 doe, by resident.

Export: Export for sale prohibited of caribou, partridge, willow or other grouse; provided, licensee may export three stag caribou under hunting license and export permit (fee, 50 cents); resident may export antlers, head, or skin of caribou under export permit, but not, in either case, for sale.

Sale: Caribou may be sold from August 1 to January 1; ptarmigan and willow grouse taken in open season and in possession of seller on January 1, may be sold until January 15; other birds may be sold during open season.

[96] *Newfoundland:* Hare or rabbit may also be taken with trap or snare until March 31.

Mexico

MEXICO

Open seasons: [96a]	*Dates inclusive*
Upland plover	Sept. 1–Sept. 30.
Wilson snipe, or jacksnipe	Nov. 1–Feb. 28.
Lesser yellowlegs	Aug. 16–Sept. 15.
Other shorebirds, duck, goose, swan	Oct. 16–Feb. 28.
White-winged and other doves	Sept. 16–Nov. 15.
Pigeon and armadillo	Oct. 1–Dec. 31.
Wild turkey, curassow, cojolite, and peccary	Sept. 1–Dec. 31.
White-tailed deer of tablelands	Nov. 1–Jan. 31.
White-tailed deer of Gulf and Pacific slopes	July 1–Oct. 31.
Brocket or forest deer in hot country	May 1–June 30.
Bear	Sept. 1–Oct. 31.
Alligator	Mar. 1–Sept. 30.

No open season: Mule deer, antelope in Chihuahu and Coahuila (1926); antelope elsewhere and mountain sheep (1932). White heron (1926). Mule deer on Cerros Island (1928). Quail and partridge (1926). Gulls, insectivorous and song birds, manatee, and the young and females of all animals.

Licenses: [96a] Resident: To export game, 10 pesos; to hunt for sale, 30 pesos. Nonresident: Alien, export, 25 pesos; commercial, 120 pesos.

Export: Export of quail prohibited for two years (1925).

[96a] *Mexico:* Secretary of Agriculture and Interior has authority to establish seasons and issue licenses.

LOWER CALIFORNIA—NORTHERN DISTRICT

Open seasons: [97]	*Dates inclusive*
Deer (males only) (see No open season)	Aug. 1–Sept. 30.
Mountain quail	Oct. 1–Dec. 31.
Other quail, ducks	Oct. 1–Jan. 31.
Doves	Oct. 1–Nov. 30.
Rabbits and squirrels	Unprotected.

No open season: Females and young of deer, and all deer on Cerros Island; hunting of deer also prohibited within 20 kilometers of the coast. Antelope and mountain sheep (1933); white herons (1927).

Licenses: Big game, fee, $10; small game, fee, $10. Issued by governor. Applicant for license must state the model, number, and caliber of shotgun or rifle to be used in hunting.

Bag limits: One male deer a season; 8 mountain quail a day, 25 a week; 15 other quail a day, 50 a week; 20 ducks a day, 50 a week; 5 white-winged and 12 other doves a day, 15 white-winged and 25 other doves a week.

Export: Export of quail prohibited.

[97] *Lower California:* Seasons and other restrictions subject to modification or suspension by governor at any time when deemed necessary.

ORDER: PERMITTING THE KILLING OF BOBOLINKS, COMMONLY KNOWN AS REEDBIRDS OR RICE BIRDS, WHICH HAVE BECOME SERIOUSLY INJURIOUS TO AGRICULTURAL INTERESTS [Issued January 17, 1919]

Information having been furnished the Secretary of Agriculture that bobolinks, commonly known as reedbirds or rice birds, have become seriously injurious to the rice crops of North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, and Florida, and an investigation having been duly and regularly made pursuant to law, and it having been determined by the Secretary of Agriculture that said birds have become, under extraordinary conditions, seriously injurious to the rice crops in said States and that the injuries so inflicted by them can not adequately be controlled in the communities immediately affected, and that they should therefore be killed in the manner, during the seasons, and in the States and District hereinafter provided,

Now, therefore, I, D. F. Houston, Secretary of Agriculture, pursuant to authority in me vested by the migratory bird treaty act of July 3, 1918, and in conformity with Regulation 10 of the Migratory Bird Treaty Act Regulations approved and proclaimed July 31, 1918, do order that until further notice persons may kill by shooting, bobolinks, commonly known as reedbirds or rice birds, from half an hour before sunrise to sunset, from September 1 to October 30, inclusive, in the States of New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, and Maryland, and the District of Columbia, and from August 16 to November 15, inclusive, in the States of Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, and Florida, but the birds so killed shall not be sold, offered for sale, or shipped for purposes of sale, or be wantonly wasted or destroyed, but they may be used for food purposes by the persons killing them, and they may be transported to hospitals and charitable institutions for use as food.

D. F. HOUSTON, *Secretary of Agriculture.*

IMPORTED GAME AND GAME RAISED IN CAPTIVITY

Regulations adopted pursuant to the provisions of the Federal migratory-bird treaty act and the Canadian migratory-birds convention act, which give effect to the migratory-bird treaty in the United States and Canada, respectively, are designed to permit and encourage the propagation and sale of migratory waterfowl. Many States now have laws in practical conformity with the Federal regulations on waterfowl and also permit other species of game to be raised in captivity and sold under permit. The business of game farming when properly conducted has proved profitable, and the demand for game raised in captivity has been greatly increased, for the reason that the sale of migratory birds is prohibited throughout the United States and most of Canada under Federal and Dominion laws, and the sale of practically all species of game is prohibited under State laws.

The Department of Agriculture, acting in conjunction with State game officials and sportsmen, aids so far as possible in establishing the game-breeding industry by preparing drafts of suitable laws to be enacted by the States, issuing permits to breeders to obtain wild migratory waterfowl and their eggs, and otherwise advising where stock may be obtained. The department does not distribute breeding stock or eggs, but in proper cases and under suitable restrictions permits may be issued to assist legitimate enterprises in the conduct of the business of game farming.

The possession, sale, and transportation of imported game and game raised in captivity is also regulated in most States by State laws, which are covered in the following summary:

Federal regulations:[88] Under permit from the Secretary of Agriculture, and subject to the provisions of State laws, live migratory waterfowl raised in captivity may be possessed, sold, and transported at any time for propagation, and such birds may be killed in any manner (except that they may be killed by shooting only during the open season for waterfowl in the State where killed) and the carcasses with heads and feet attached may be sold and transported at any time to any person for actual consumption, or to the keeper of a hotel, restaurant, or boarding house, retail dealer in meat or game, or a club, for sale or service to their patrons, who may possess such carcasses for actual consumption without a Federal permit; provided, that no migratory waterfowl killed by shooting shall be bought or sold unless each bird before attaining the age of four weeks shall have had removed from the web of one foot a portion thereof in the form of a V for identification purposes.

Permits also are issued under proper restrictions for the capture of a reasonable number of wild migratory waterfowl and the taking of their eggs to enable persons desiring to engage in the business to acquire the nucleus of a breeding stock or to improve the strain of birds on hand, but such wild birds may be sold and possessed only for propagation and may not be killed or sold for food.

Alabama: Commissioner of game and fisheries may issue a permit (fee, $1) to capture or export not more than 10 pairs of each species of game birds for propagating purposes.

Arizona: State game warden may issue permit to take, export, or import game or birds for propagating purposes; and may also issue permit to retain in captivity not more than four abandoned young of big game which applicant has rescued.

Arkansas: The commission may establish rules governing propagation of game in captivity and authorizing the sale or export of such game under permit.

California: Game raised in captivity under breeder's license (fee, $2.50) may be sold for breeding purposes, and under regulations of commission may be sold for food if tagged (fee, 3 cents a tag). All game raised in captivity (except deer) must be killed otherwise than by shooting. Permits may also be issued to capture, possess, or transport wild game animals and game birds for propagating purposes. Shipments by parcel post are prohibited. Pheasants and domesticated reindeer may be imported and sold under regulations of commission.

Colorado: Game raised in licensed private parks, if accompanied by an invoice, and game (except migratory birds other than migratory waterfowl raised in captivity in conformity with Federal regulations—No. 8) brought into State by licensed importer, if shipping invoice is indorsed to purchaser, may be sold and transported. Commissioner may issue permit to capture or import game for propagating purposes.

Connecticut: Game birds and quadrupeds raised in preserve under license (fee, $2) may be sold and transported, if tagged, under regulations of commissioners of fisheries and game. Game legally taken and transported from another State

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or country which does not prohibit its sale or export may be sold under regulations of the board. Permit required to import game which is protected in the State.

Delaware: Pheasants and Hungarian partridges may be possessed and sold for propagating purposes. Board, by permit (fee, $1), may authorize any person to capture, possess, and transport not more than 10 pairs of each species of game or birds for propagating purposes.

District of Columbia: Hungarian partridge, English, Mongolian, Chinese, and ring-necked pheasants, and migratory waterfowl raised in captivity, in conformity with Federal regulations, may be possessed, sold, and transported.

Georgia: Registered breeder may possess, buy, sell, and transport game for propagation.

Idaho: Permit of State game warden required to take or keep waterfowl in captivity for decoy purposes. Under regulations of the State game warden, game may be propagated in private parks.

Illinois: Game raised in captivity under a breeder's license (fee, $5) may be possessed, sold, and transported for food or propagating purposes.

Indiana: Birds and animals raised in captivity may be kept, killed, sold, or transported under certificate of inspection (fee, $5) from the conservation commission, and game birds legally acquired may be possessed for breeding purposes under like certificates.

Iowa: Game birds raised in captivity under license (fee, $2) may be sold for food or propagating purposes.

Kansas: Game raised in captivity under permit (fee, $2) may be sold and transported, and under permit and regulations of warden wild animals and birds and the eggs of birds may be taken for propagating purposes.

Kentucky: Game birds and game animals raised in captivity under permit may be sold and transported, but all carcasses must be tagged.

Louisiana: Game raised in captivity under license (fee, $5) may be sold and transported for food, stocking, or breeding purposes, but all carcasses must be tagged. Traffic prohibited in birds killed by shooting. Wild birds or mammals may be brought into State for liberation, and game may be exported for educational, scientific, or propagating purposes, under permit from commissioner.

Maine: Game raised in captivity under breeder's license (fee, $2) may be killed, sold, and transported, and live game may be captured or exported for breeding and advertising purposes, under regulations and permit of commissioner.

Maryland: Elk and imported and native deer raised in preserve under license (fee, $5) may be sold and transported. (In Allegany and Garrett Counties white-tailed deer native to the State must be branded 3 months prior to killing.) Chinese, English, or ring-necked pheasants raised in captivity may be sold for propagating and restocking purposes, but they may be killed only from November 10 to January 1 on premises where raised, and by means other than shooting. In Washington County game animals and birds reared in licensed preserves (fee, $10) may be sold for propagation only.

[88] See Federal regulation 8 for full details and requirements (footnote 2, p. 4).

Massachusetts: Under regulations of the division of fisheries and game, deer, elk, pheasants, quail, and European or gray partridges raised in captivity under license (no fee), may be sold for propagation, and killed and sold for food purposes, if tagged; and licensed dealers may sell unplucked bodies of pheasant, Scotch grouse, European black game, European or gray partridge, red-legged partridge, and Egyptian or migratory quail imported from without the United States, if tagged, and deer, moose, caribou, and elk lawfully killed and coming from without the State, if tagged by warden of State or country where procured. State tag fees, 5 cents each. Hares and rabbits may be sold during the open season if secured and imported from a country where their sale is not prohibited. Waterfowl may be reared in captivity and sold under Federal regulations (No. 8).[86]

Michigan: Deer, elk, pheasants, and wild ducks raised in captivity under license (fee, $5) may be sold and transported for food, breeding, or stocking purposes. Carcasses of such game must be tagged (tags, 5 cents each). Ducks killed by shooting[86] (except under direct supervision of a deputy warden) may not be sold or disposed of.

Licensed dealers may sell unplucked carcasses of pheasants of all species, Scotch grouse, European black game, red-legged partridge, Egyptian quail, European red deer, fallow deer, roebuck, and reindeer lawfully imported from another State or country if tagged on arrival in State. Licensed retail dealer, club, hotel, restaurant, or boarding house may sell portion of said imported game or game raised in captivity, if tagged, to patron or customer for actual consumption or use.

Minnesota: Game raised in captivity under license (fee, $1) may be sold alive for propagating purposes, and may be killed, sold, and transported under regulations of commissioner. No fee required to raise game birds for domestic use or as pets. Under regulations of the commissioner, wild animals and birds and the eggs of birds may be taken for breeding purposes.

Missouri: Deer, elk, and other protected game raised in captivity under license (fee, $5) may be transported and sold under regulations of commissioner. Export (except of quail) for propagating purposes allowed under permit.

Montana: Game raised in private preserves under license (fee, $5) may be killed, sold, and transported. Commissioner may authorize the capture under permit of wild animals and birds for propagation, but no such animal or its progeny may be sold for a period of three years after its capture.

Nebraska: Game animals and birds raised in captivity under license (fee, $1) may be sold for propagation, and killed and sold for food purposes if tagged. Keeper of hotel, boarding house, restaurant, club, or retail dealer in meats under license (fee, $5) may sell tagged game to patron or customer for actual consumption, but tags must remain on carcasses until consumed.

Nevada: Game raised under license (fee, $10) may be sold or shipped under invoice.

New Hampshire: Game raised in captivity under license (fee, $2) may be sold and transported, if tagged, under regulations of commissioner. Game (except ruffed grouse) imported from without the United States, if tagged and marked to show kind and number, name and address of consignor and consignee, initial point of billing, and destination, may be exported unaccompanied by the owner.

New Jersey: Mallard, wood, and black ducks, Canada geese,[86] English and Mongolian pheasants, quail, ruffed grouse, deer, rabbits, and squirrels raised in preserves under license (fee, $5) may be possessed and sold for propagation, and may be sold for food or exported for sale if tagged (tag fee, 5 cents). The unplucked carcasses of Scotch grouse, European black grouse, European black plover, red-legged partridge, and Egyptian quail coming from a foreign country, if tagged by State authorities, may be sold for food purposes.

New Mexico: Game raised in licensed preserve may be exported or sold under invoice, if the number of animals or birds in the park at the time the license is secured is not thereby reduced. State warden may issue permit (fee, $1.25) to retain in captivity not more than 4 abandoned young of big game which applicant has rescued. Holder of a hunting license, under permit from State warden, may capture and export game or birds for propagating purposes. Game (except migratory birds other than waterfowl raised in captivity in conformity with Federal regulations[86]) coming from without State may be possessed and sold by a hotel, restaurant, café, boarding house, or dealer under a permit good for not more than 30 days.

New York: Elk, white-tailed deer, European red deer, fallow deer, Japanese deer, roebuck, pheasants, Canada and Hutchins geese, and mallard and black ducks raised in captivity may be sold for breeding purposes, and may be killed and sold or exported if tagged. Such ducks and geese may be killed by shooting during the open season, but when so killed may not be sold unless marked and tagged as required by the commission.[86] Varying hares and cottontail rabbits raised in captivity under license (fee, $5) if tagged, may be sold for food purposes during close season, under regulations of the commission. Licensed breeders in States having laws similar to the game-breeding law of New York may, under license (fee, $5) and cost of inspection, ship into State domesticated American elk, white-tailed deer, European red deer, fallow deer, roebuck, pheasants, Canada and Hutchins geese, and mallard and black ducks, which, if tagged, may be sold under regulations of the commission.

The unplucked carcasses of tinamou, pheasants, Scotch grouse, European gray-legged partridge, Norwegian ptarmigan, Norwegian grouse, and Egyptian quail, and species or subspecies not native to State, and carcasses of European red deer, fallow deer, and roebuck imported from without the United States may be sold under license if tagged. No restrictions on reindeer.

North Carolina: There are no State laws relating to game raised in captivity, but several counties have laws on this subject. These laws are too varied to make it practicable to publish them. In those counties under the jurisdiction of the Audubon Society, Raleigh, N. C., the society may issue permits authorizing ruffed grouse and wild turkeys to be exported for propagation.

North Dakota: Game may be kept in captivity under permit of board.

Ohio: Ring-necked, Mongolian, or Chinese pheasants and mallard and black ducks raised in captivity under a breeder's license (fee, $5) may be sold and transported for food or propagating purposes; carcasses of such birds must be tagged. No pheasant, mallard, or black duck raised in captivity may be killed by shooting except during the open season, and no mallard or black duck killed by shooting may be bought or sold unless it shall have had a well-defined V-shaped section removed from the web of one foot before attaining the age of four weeks.

Deer, squirrels, and rabbits legally taken or acquired may be possessed in inclosures as pets.

Oklahoma: Game raised under license (fee, $2) may be sold and transported for propagation and for food, if tagged, during season prescribed by commissioner.

Oregon: Game birds and animals raised in captivity under permit (fee, $2) may be exported or sold for propagating, restocking, or food purposes; carcasses must be tagged (fee, 5 cents). Written permit from State warden, showing kind of game and names and addresses of consignor and consignee, must be attached to each shipment.

Game animals and birds coming from without the United States and game taken in a State where it may be sold, may be sold and transported under permit and tag of State warden, but the only migratory birds that may be sold are waterfowl reared in captivity under Federal[86] or Canadian[86] regulations.

[86] See Federal Regulation 8 for full details and requirements (footnote 2, p. 4).
[86] See Canadian Regulation 12 (footnote 2, p. 4).

Pennsylvania: Game breeder's certificate required, fee, $1; bond, $500. Game raised in captivity may be sold or transported within the State.

Rhode Island: Game raised in captivity under permit may be sold for propagation, under regulations of commissioners. Game lawfully killed and exported may be brought into State under permit, but such game may not be sold.

South Carolina: Birds and animals legally taken may be kept in possession for propagating purposes. The Federal regulations have been adopted as the State law with respect to migratory birds.[58]

South Dakota: Game raised in captivity under license may be exported or sold under written permission of State game warden.

Texas: Game animals and birds may be captured or imported for propagating purposes under permit of commissioner.

Utah: Game raised in private preserve under permit (no fee) of commissioner may be sold and transported, if tagged.

Vermont: Game raised in licensed private preserve (fee, $2) may be sold or exported for food or propagating purposes. Carcasses must be tagged.

Virginia: Game animals and birds raised under breeder's license (fee, $25) may be disposed of for propagating or other purposes. Carcasses of game raised in captivity must be tagged (fees, wild turkeys, 10 cents; deer, bear, or elk, 50 cents; other birds and animals, 2 cents each). Proprietor of hotel or restaurant or dealer in game under a license (fee, $5) may sell to guests or patrons deer, wild turkeys, quail, ruffed grouse, and waterfowl raised in captivity and may sell domesticated rabbits without a license.

Licensed game breeder, under permit and regulations of the commissioner may trap wild animals or birds for breeding purposes, but the animals or birds so taken shall not be sold or otherwise disposed of.

Washington: Game animals and birds raised in captivity under license (fee, $10) may be sold and transported for propagation or for food, if tagged. Keeper of hotel, restaurant, boarding house, or club, and retail dealer in meats, under license (fee, $5), may sell game raised in captivity, if tagged. Under permit from director of fisheries and game wild animals and birds may be captured on State game preserves or imported from without the State for propagating purposes.

Game animals and birds coming from without the State, if imported under license (fee, $25), may be sold by keeper of hotel, restaurant, boarding house, or club, or by a retail dealer, under license (fee, $5) and regulations of director of fisheries and game, but the only migratory birds that may be sold are waterfowl reared in domestication under Federal [58] and Canadian [59] regulations.

West Virginia: The owner may kill elk or deer kept in inclosure and may pursue and recapture, by killing or otherwise, elk which have escaped from his inclosure.

Wisconsin: Under permit and supervision of the commission wild animals and birds may be taken and transported for propagation within the State. Park boards allowed to ship, under permit of State conservation commissioner, live animals and game birds for park purposes.

Wyoming: Under permit (fee, $5) and supervision of commission, game animals may be taken for propagation. Animals so taken may not be killed, sold, or disposed of for three years, but their natural increase may be sold, transported, and disposed of. Exchange of game animals and birds for liberation in State allowed under permit of State game commission.

Canadian regulations: The Canadian regulations, administered by the Commissioner of Canadian National Parks, Ottawa, Canada, are similar to the provisions of the Federal regulations in respect to the propagation of migratory waterfowl, but apply to all migratory birds protected by the treaty; and all birds raised in captivity and intended for food purposes must be killed otherwise than by shooting, and each of such birds before it can be sold must bear a metal tag which may not be removed from the carcass. Under section 5 of the Canadian Customs Export Act (R. S. C., 1906, ch. 50) a person may export the carcass or parts thereof of a deer raised on his own land or on lands owned by a company or association of which he is a member, upon his making affidavit on face of export entry that the carcass, or parts thereof, is of a deer so raised.

Alberta: The minister of agriculture may authorize persons to possess, buy, sell, and export big game and game birds raised in captivity, and to capture big game and game birds for propagation. Permit fees fixed by lieutenant governor in council.

British Columbia: The game conservation board may authorize persons to possess, buy, sell, and export game animals and game birds raised in captivity, and to capture game animals and birds and collect eggs of birds for propagation. Permit required to import live animals or birds into the Province; permit fees fixed by lieutenant governor in council.

New Brunswick: The minister of lands and mines may authorize persons to possess, buy, sell, and export game raised in captivity, and to capture game for propagation. Permit fees fixed by minister.

Northwest Territories: The minister of the interior may authorize persons to possess, buy, sell, and export wild mammals and birds raised in captivity, and to capture wild mammals and birds and collect the eggs of birds for propagation.

Nova Scotia: The commissioner of forests and game may authorize persons to possess, buy, sell, and export wild mammals and birds raised in captivity, and to capture wild mammals and birds for propagation.

Ontario: The minister of game and fisheries may authorize persons to possess, buy, sell, and export game animals and birds raised in captivity, and to capture game animals and birds for propagation during close season. Imported game may be sold or exported under license.

Prince Edward Island: Domesticated wild geese and brant in captivity are deemed the personal property of the owner, and may be possessed, disposed of, and transported without reference to the provisions of the Provincial game act. Waterfowl and other migratory birds, however, are subject to the provisions of the migratory-birds convention act and regulations.[59]

Quebec: The minister may authorize game animals and birds lawfully taken during the open season to be retained in captivity.

Saskatchewan: The minister of agriculture may authorize persons to possess, buy, sell, and export big game and game birds raised in captivity, and to capture big game and game birds for propagation. All shipments must be tagged. Permit and tag fees fixed by minister.

Yukon: The gold commissioner may authorize persons to possess, buy, sell, and export game animals (except buffalo or bison) and birds raised in captivity, and to capture such animals and birds for propagation.

Newfoundland: The game and inland fisheries board may authorize persons to capture, possess, buy, sell, and export caribou for propagation.

Lower California (Northern District): The governor may authorize persons to capture, possess, buy, sell, and transport wild animals and birds for propagation.

[58] See Federal Regulation 8 (footnote 2, p. 4).

[59] See Canadian Regulation 12 (footnote 2, p. 4).

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